# City of Garden Grove WEEKLY CITY MANAGER'S MEMO April 11, 2019

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council FROM: Scott C. Stiles, City Manager Members

#### I. DEPARTMENT ITEMS

A. <u>NEWS RELEASE: CITY APPROVES MOVE TO OCFA</u>
The news release provides information about the City of Garden Grove's upcoming move to the Orange County Fire Association.

B. <u>ANNUAL COMPOST GIVEAWAY</u>
The memo provides information regarding the City's annual Compost Giveaway, held April 13, 2019.

C. <u>UPDATE ON KOREAN MONUMENT SIGNS</u>
An update on the final design for the Korean monument signs on Garden Grove Boulevard is provided for your information.

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

- **A.** Email from Debra Kurita, Assistant Executive Director of the Orange County Local Agency Formation Commission, providing a copy of the agency's proposed budget.
- **B.** Garden Grove Unified School District #GGUSDPride E-newsletter featuring events and notable accomplishments.

#### OTHER ITEMS

- SOCIAL MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS AND NEWSPAPER ARTICLES
   Copies of the week's social media posts and local newspaper articles are attached for your information.
- MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS
   Items of interest are included.

Scott C. Stiles City Manager





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Colleen Windsor, (714) 573-6028 Director of Communications, OCFA

Thursday, April 11, 2019

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#### CITY APPROVES MOVE TO OCFA

At Tuesday night's regular Garden Grove City Council meeting, the City Council approved entering into an agreement with the Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) to provide fire and emergency medical services to the City of Garden Grove. The agreement provides for the delivery of services to begin on August 16, 2019 with an option to withdraw every ten years.

"Public safety is a top priority for our City Council, especially when it comes to providing the highest level of services that meet the growing needs of our city. I'm confident that the OCFA will not only meet, but will surpass our expectations to protect Garden Grove from destructive fires, and render emergency aid when it's vitally needed," said Garden Grove Mayor Steve Jones.

The decision comes after several months of study and deliberation that began in March 2018 when the City received a proposal from the OCFA to provide the City with fire and emergency services.

"We welcome the Garden Grove firefighters to our department," said OCFA
Board Chair Joseph Muller. "Working together, I know these professionals will
provide exceptional emergency services to the entire region including the city of
Garden Grove."

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Under the provisions of the contract, the OCFA will provide for all personnel and administration, emergency response units and equipment, including vehicle depreciation and replacement, routine station maintenance, fire prevention (plan check reviews, fire inspections, and permits), and community fire education.

"Transitioning a city fire department is complex and time consuming," said OCFA Fire Chief Brian Fennessy. "We have a team in place to ensure a smooth transition, and that the citizens are well-served. I look forward to working with a new group of skilled firefighters."

Currently, the Garden Grove Fire Department employs 77 uniformed personnel that will continue to serve under the OCFA. In addition, paramedics will now have the benefit of a medical director and on-staff nurses to help with education and oversight.

"My goal is to make our transition over to the OCFA as seamless as possible for everyone. It's an exciting new chapter in our city, that in the end, will raise the level of safety and services we currently have, and that's something positive to look forward to," said Garden Grove City Manager Scott Stiles.

To view the agreement and all related documents, visit the City's website at ggcity.org, access the Open Government portal, and click on OCFA Documents, or go directly to https://ggcity.org/open-gov/ocfa-documents

#### **City of Garden Grove**

#### INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:

Scott C. Stiles

From: William E. Murray

Dept:

City Manager

Dept: Public Works

Subject: ANNUAL COMPOST GIVEAWAY

Date: April 4, 2019

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide information regarding the City's annual Compost Giveaway.

#### BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

On Saturday, April 13, 2019, the annual Compost Giveaway Event (event) will be held at the Municipal Service Center. This drive thru event, which is hosted by the City's waste hauler, Republic Services, will provide up to 60 gallons of free compost to Garden Grove residents. The event begins at 8:00 am and will continue until supplies run out. The purpose of the event is to close the loop on this material that has been diverted from the landfill and is ready to be used for gardening. The event has historically received a large turnout every year, serving approximately 150 households. Information is currently available on the City's website.

If you need additional information, please contact Raquel Manson at extension 5554.

WILLIAM E. MURRAY, Director of Public Works

Attachment: Compost Flyer



**April 13, 2019** 8:00 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.

(or until compost runs out)

#### GARDEN GROVE PUBLIC WORK'S YARD

13802 New Hope Street, Garden Grove

Republic Services together with the City of Garden Grove will be giving away FREE compost to residents to say thank you for participating in our green waste recycling program. Because this event is so popular, we have a "while the supplies last" and a limit of 60-gallons per household. No plastic bags please.







DUE TO THE POPULARITY OF THIS EVENT, RESIDENTS SHOULD EXPECT LONG LINES.

PLEASE BRING YOUR I.D.

#### **CITY OF GARDEN GROVE**

#### INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Scott Stiles From: Shawn Park

Dept: City Manager Dept: City Manager

Subject: Informational update on the final Date: April 9, 2019

design of the Korean monument signs

located on Garden Grove Blvd.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide the City Council with an informational update on the final design of the Korean monument signs located at Garden Grove Boulevard and Fern Street, and Garden Grove Boulevard and Brookhurst Street.

#### **DISCUSSION**

On January 2, 2019, the Korean Chamber of Commerce of Orange County submitted a formal request to change the name of the Korean Business District to "Koreatown" and update the existing monument signs located at Garden Grove Boulevard and Fern Street, and Garden Grove Boulevard and Brookhurst Street. At the February 12, 2019 City Council meeting, the City Council reviewed the initial design proposal submitted by the Korean Chamber. The City Council supported the request to update the signs, but also recommended that the Korean Chamber incorporate minor modifications to the design that would not only include additional cultural components representative of the Korean community in Garden Grove but also maintain language consistent with other signs visible throughout the City. Attached is the new proposed design for the two Korean Business District monument signs.

The City staff will proceed to work with the KCCOC on the modifications to the monument signs. This memorandum is for informational purposes only. No action of the City Council is required.

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PROPOSED SIGN FRONT ELEVATION

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# SCOPE OF WORK

REVISE EXISTING MONUMENTAL SIGNS AT TWO LOCATION

1-AT GARDEN GROVE BLVD & FERN ST 1-AT GARDEN GROVE BLVD & BROOKHURST ST

EXISTING SIGN FACE: (TOTAL: 48 SF) PROPOSING REVISING AREA: (6.4+0.8=7.2 SF)

MATERAL:
BACKGROUND:18" ALUM, INSTALL W/ CLEAR SEALANT
(PAINT TO MATCH EXISTING BLUE COLOR)
LETTERS: 18" PLASTIC

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### OWNER

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF ORANGE COUNTY 9562 GARDEN GROVE BL... GARDEN GROVE, CA 92844 (714) 638-1440 (714) 280-2221 RAYMOND CHOI

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# SCOPE OF WORK

REVISE EXISTING MONUMENTAL SIGNS AT TWO LOCATION

1-AT GARDEN GROVE BLVD & FERN ST 1-AT GARDEN GROVE BLVD & BROOKHURST ST

EXISTING SIGN FACE (TOTAL: 48 SF)
PROPOSING REVISING AREA: (TOTAL: 19.25 SF)

BACKGROUND: 1/8" ALUM, INSTALL W/ CLEAR SEALANT (PAINTAS SHOWN)

MATERIAL:

LETTERS: 1/8" PLASTIC
WHITE:
BLUE: (PAINT TO MATCH EXISTING BLUE COLOR)

## OWNER

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF ORANGE COUNTY 9562 GARDEN GROVE BL. GARDEN GROVE, CA 92844

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Cc: "Carolyn Emery" < cemery@oclafco.org>
Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2019 10:13:14 AM

**Subject:** OC LAFCO Proposed Budget

City Manager,

This morning, the Commission approved the proposed budget as recommended by staff, and directed that the documents be distributed to the funding agencies for additional review and comment. The public hearing for consideration of the final budget is scheduled for May 8, 2019 at 8:15 am, at the Planning Commission Hearing Room in the County Hall of Administration at 10 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana, CA. Comments on the proposed budget may be submitted in writing to 2677 North Main Street, Suite 1050, Santa Ana, CA 92705 or by email to me at <a href="mailto:dkurita@oclafco.org">dkurita@oclafco.org</a>. Written comments received by OC LAFCO through April 29 will be included with the staff report for the meeting on May 8. Additionally, comments may be submitted during the public hearing. Please contact me if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Thank you,

Debra Kurita Assistant Executive Officer OC LAFCO 714-640-5100



**ORANGE COUNTY** 

April 10, 2019

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STAFF

**CAROLYN EMERY** 

TO:

Local Agency Formation Commission

FROM:

Executive Officer

Assistant Executive Officer

Accountant

SUBJECT:

Proposed Fiscal Year 2019-20 OC LAFCO Budget and

Fee Schedule

#### BACKGROUND

The State Government Code Section 56381(a) requires the Commission to hold a public hearing to adopt a proposed annual budget. The proposed FY 2019-20 budget is presented in a line-item format for the Commission's review and consideration (*Attachment 1*).

In March, staff and the Commission's Executive Committee, comprised of Chair Cheryl Brothers, Vice Chair Douglass Davert and Immediate Past Chair Derek McGregor, met and reviewed the proposed budget. In accordance with the Commission's Bylaws, the Executive Committee reviews the preliminary agency budget and serves in an advisory role on this matter to the full Commission. If the proposed budget is approved by the Commission, it will be distributed for review and comment to the Board of Supervisors, the cities, and the independent special districts. Subsequently, the final budget, together with any submitted comments, will be considered by the Commission at a second public hearing during the May 8, 2019 regular meeting.

#### Fee Schedule Resolution

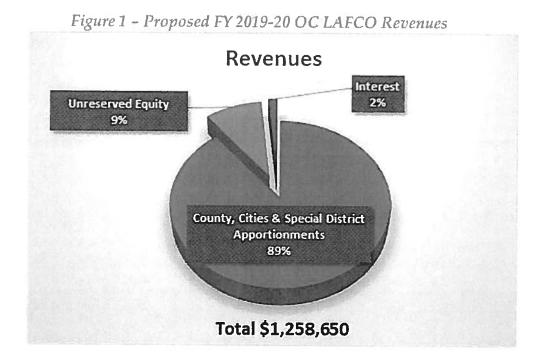
In 2017, the Commission approved changes to the fee structure and deposits required for processing project applications. These changes included an annual update of the Fee Schedule to reflect the current rates for direct charges for staff and legal counsel costs, as well as increases by the State for CEQA related fees. As State law requires public agencies to conduct a public hearing for the approval of amendments to fees, the recommended actions include adopting the updated Fee Schedule Resolution. (Attachment 2)

#### FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Proposed Budget

The proposed FY 2019-20 budget is balanced; the expected expenditures are funded by the projected ongoing revenues together with a drawdown of unreserved equity. The proposed budget totals \$1,258,650, which represents an increase of 10.4 percent from the approved FY 2018-19 budget. The following provides a description and analysis of the revenues, expenditures and reserves contained in the FY 2019-20 proposed budget.

#### REVENUES

The revenues in the proposed budget for FY 2019-20 total \$1,258,650. The agency revenues are grouped into four categories: (1) County, Cities, and Special Districts Apportionments, (2) Interest, (3) Unreserved equity, and (4) Miscellaneous Revenue. As depicted in Figure 1, the apportionments to the funding agencies constitute 89 percent of the revenues with the balance being contributed by unreserved equity and interest revenue.



#### (1) County, Cities, and Special Districts Apportionments

The apportionments from the funding agencies provide the largest revenue source for OC LAFCO. The total apportionment for FY 2019-20 of \$1,124,500 to be collected from the County, cities and special districts constitutes an overall increase of three percent from the FY 2018-19 budget. The apportionment is equally divided amongst the County, cities and independent special districts. The apportionments for the individual cities and independent special districts are calculated by the County Auditor-Controller using the formulas adopted by the City Selection Committee and the Independent Special District Selection Committee respectively. The individual apportionments for FY 2019-20 are delineated in *Attachments 1B and 1C*.

#### (2) Interest

This revenue category includes interest earned from the agency's savings account, payroll account and two investment accounts – the Local Agency Investment Fund and the Orange County Fund. Since the Commission receives an influx of revenues in the beginning of each fiscal year from the funding agencies, the apportionments are deposited into the highest interest earning accounts. Throughout the fiscal year, designated OC LAFCO staff members, in consultation with the agency's independent accountant, withdraw funds from the accounts to cover the agency's operational expenses. Given the current trends in rates, the proposed FY 2019-20 budget assumes that the interest accrued on the agency's investment accounts will generate \$18,000 or approximately two percent of the annual revenue.

#### (3) Unreserved Equity

In its reserve policy, the Commission specifies minimum balances of \$100,000 for contingency reserves, \$75,000 for litigation reserves, and \$30,000 for unfunded liability reserves. Additionally, the Commission's policy mandates that three months of operational expenses be maintained in the reserve account which, for FY 2019-20, amounts to \$314,663. Unreserved equity is any balance available above those minimums. The proposed FY 2019-20 budget revenue assumptions include \$116,150 from the unreserved equity which represents approximately nine percent of the total revenues. Over the past several years, the use of unreserved equity as part of the revenue assumptions has helped to avoid large fluctuations in the annual apportionments to the funding agencies.

#### (4) Miscellaneous Revenue

The miscellaneous revenue account encompasses the "nonoperational" revenues. This includes revenue received from credit card rebates and other miscellaneous items. Since the miscellaneous revenues are nonoperational and are not guaranteed to materialize, the proposed budget does not include any projected revenues for this category and, therefore, is not included in the chart.

#### **EXPENDITURES**

The proposed budget expenditures reflect the resources necessary to support the agency's operations and to effectively manage the mandated projects that are not supported by applicant fees, such as the efforts required for the fourth round of the updates of the Spheres of Influence and Municipal Service Reviews and the Unincorporated Islands Program.

Traditionally, the national CPI is used as the basis for adjustments to the expenditure categories. However, the proposed budget includes adjustments to specific budget categories based on past trending, actual expenditures or the budget instructions from the County regarding the benefit cost projections. For discussion purposes, Commission expenses are described in three categories: (1) Salaries and Benefits, (2) Office Operations and Supplies, and (3) Professional Services. The percentage of each category is depicted in *Figure 2* and described briefly in the following sections.

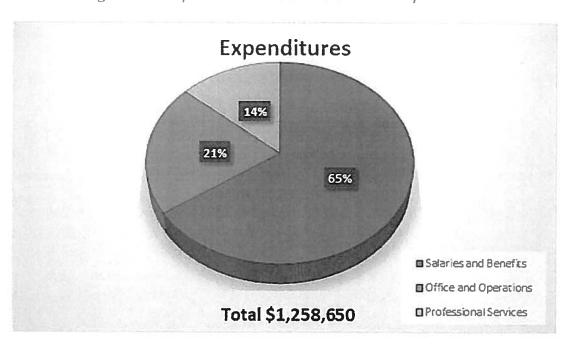


Figure 2 - Proposed FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Expenditures

#### (1) Salaries & Benefits

The proposed FY 2019-20 budget for salaries and benefits for the five full-time professional staff and any temporary or seasonal staff total \$822,750, which is an increase of 17.5 percent from the budgeted amount in FY 2018-19. The budget salary assumptions reflect the implementation of the second year of the Comprehensive Organizational Assessment's recommendation regarding the agency's compensation structure. The two-year implementation plan approved by the Commission provides equity and cost-of-living adjustments for the OC LAFCO positions.

The assumptions for a number of the employee benefits are based on information from the County of Orange which, by contract, currently provides those benefits to the OC LAFCO employees. Additionally, the projection for the deferred compensation contributions reflects the benefit that provides matching contributions of up to two percent of salary for eligible OC LAFCO employees and a five percent of salary contribution for the Executive Officer. The deferred contribution benefit for OC LAFCO employees mirrors the benefits provided by the County to its employees and Executive Managers.

The assumptions for retirement costs are based on the figures provided by the Orange County Employees Retirement System (OCERs). Over the past year, the agency's accountant worked with staff and representatives from OCERS and the County to better understand the agency's retirement costs. As a result of those discussions, the FY 2019-20 budget estimates for retirement costs were calculated using a corrected and refined formula.

In accordance with best budgeting practices, the proposed budget provides for fully funding all staff positions. However, when personnel or other costs are associated with a project application, those costs are tracked in a special fund and reimbursed through the fees collected from the applicant. The fees are updated annually through the Fee Schedule (*Attachment 2*) to ensure that the applicants are compensating the agency for the actual staff costs associated with the project. An accounting of the fees collected, personnel or other costs applied, and balance remaining in these special funds associated with specific mandated projects are provided quarterly and annually to the Commission in the comprehensive report and the audited financial statements. Any savings in staff costs to the General Fund generated by the application of costs to a project special fund will effectively result in a reduction in the amount that will be drawn down from the unreserved equity at the end of the fiscal year.

#### (2) Office Operations & Supplies

Overall, the Commission operations demonstrate prudent management of agency expenses. The changes in the budget line items for FY 2019-20 include increases in

membership fees, professional development, and the OC LAFCO office lease. Additionally, a number of budget line items reflect decreases in appropriations, including office equipment and supplies, registration and travel, other professional services, and Commissioner and staff expenses. The following provides a brief discussion of the key areas that incorporate the proposed changes in appropriations for office operations and supplies:

#### > Internet and Telephone (line item 5151)

The proposed appropriation for this line item, which accounts for the leasing of telephone equipment, telephone technical support, website hosting, and the telephone and cell phone charges, represents an increase of \$1,100 based on actual costs and trends.

#### > Insurance (line item 5250)

The agency contracts with the County to provide insurance through a third party for general liability, crime and property insurance, which is reflected in this line item. The figure for insurance is provided to the agency through the County's budget instructions and represents an increase of \$400 for the 2019-20 fiscal year. Currently, staff is performing an analysis to ensure these costs are competitive in the market.

#### County Charges (line item 5200)

In this category, the charges the County assesses for processing payroll, archiving services, storing files and records, and processing the billing and collection of apportionments from the County, cities and special districts are recorded. The proposed budget projects an increase of \$1,500 in this line item to accommodate the County Auditor Controller's newly added function of calculating the annual apportionments for the cities and special districts, as well as an anticipated increase in the storage costs for the agency's archived documents.

#### Memberships (line item 5350)

This line item contains the proposed appropriation for the membership fees paid to professional organizations. A significant element of the allocation is dedicated to the Center for Demographic Research (CDR) which develops Orange County population, employment, housing and other demographic projections that are used by OC LAFCO in preparing the Municipal Service Reviews and Sphere of Influence Updates. Additionally, CDR assists OC LAFCO with special projects and reports, including an annual annexation report that provides an updated boundary map and related demographic information. The 2019-20 fiscal year is the third year of a three-year agreement with CDR at the rate of \$16,000 per year.

This budget line item also contains an increase in the membership for CALAFCO dues that was approved by the CALAFCO Board in February. The proposed allocation reflects a one-time 16.25 percent increase that was applied to all member LAFCOs for FY 2019-20 to cover the CALAFCO's current operational deficit. As a result, the proposed budget dues amount for CALAFCO was raised by \$1,450 for a total annual membership of \$10,376.

#### > Office Equipment/Supplies (line item 5450)

The appropriations for Office Equipment and Supplies fluctuates from year to year as the expenditures for computers and related technology are incorporated into this line item. Based on the equipment purchases scheduled for the 2019-20 fiscal year, this budget line item reflects a decrease of \$5,000.

#### Public Noticing/Communications (line item 5600)

This budget category covers expenditures for legal notices required for Commission public hearings. Additionally, communications related to Commission-initiated projects, such as municipal service reviews, that are not reimbursable through applications fees are charged to this line item. The proposed budgeted amount for this line item totals \$2,000 for FY 2019-20.

#### Unincorporated Areas Program (line item 5610)

Annually, the Commission provides a focus for the efforts related to the Unincorporated Areas Program by identifying a specific number of small unincorporated areas (less than 150 acres) that have a high potential for annexation. In accordance with a long-standing policy, the Commission does not collect project fees for processing the annexation of small unincorporated areas. This line item has been added to the annual budget to segregate the communication, public noticing, and other costs associated with the program. For FY 2019-20, the proposed budget allocates \$6,000 for this line item. This amount represents a \$2,200 increase over last year's budgeted amount for this program, which in prior years was included in the Public Noticing/Communications line item. As outreach and other activities may vary for each unincorporated area, this line item may be adjusted annually based on the areas explored for the year.

#### ➤ Rents/Maintenance (line item 5650)

This budget line item includes the leasing, maintenance and parking costs for the OC LAFCO offices. On January 4, 2015, the Commission commenced a 64-month lease with Mullrock Lincoln Town Center, LLC. The rent appropriation of \$79,800

for FY 2019-20 represents a 7.8 percent increase, or \$5,800, from the FY 2018-19 budgeted amount. The lease term ends in April 2020 and staff is currently exploring the options for the Commission to consider prior to expiration of the current lease agreement. The budget assumption for this line item incorporates the increases contained in the current lease plus a five percent increase for the months beyond the lease expiration.

#### > Equipment Leases and Maintenance (line item 5675)

This category includes the costs for the lease and maintenance of the copiers and printers for OC LAFCO office use. During the 2018-19 fiscal year, the equipment was upgraded to improve performance and enhance the quality of the documents generated by using the copiers. As a result, the projection for this line item increased by \$2,100 for the year.

#### > Professional Development (line item 5750)

This category includes costs related to staff professional development activities (e.g., conferences, workshops, university courses, or other training classes). The proposed allocation reflects an increase of \$2,000 for the 2019-20 fiscal year.

#### > Registration and Travel (line item 5800)

This line item allocates the funding for the participation by Commissioners and staff in the CALAFCO annual conference, board meetings, staff workshop and other conferences. The proposed budget amounts vary from year to year based on the location the anticipated participation in the events. The estimated costs for the annual staff workshop are maintained at the same level as the FY 2018-19 budget, as the location for FY 2019-20 has not yet been determined. As the next annual conference will take place in Sacramento, the budget amount for FY 2019-20 reflects a decrease of \$1,050 from FY 2018-19.

#### (3) Professional Services (line items 5510-5540)

The Commission's staff performs the majority of the administrative and project related work; however, the agency continues to utilize professional services for certain ongoing and project-related support. Ongoing administrative support expenses include the Commission's accountant, legal counsel, auditor and human resources support. The FY 2019-20 proposed budget allocations for this category includes the following: legal services (\$60,000); audit and accounting services (\$43,100) and human resources (\$9,000).

Project-related professional services include facilitation for complex and/or contentious projects, preparation of fiscal analyses and models, and other studies or reports. Projects that may require additional professional services in FY 2019-20 include Municipal

Services Reviews, South Orange County Governance and the Outreach and Communications Plan. The proposed allocation for that line item is \$60,000 for the 2019-20 fiscal year.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommends that the Commission:

- 1. Adopt the Proposed FY 2019-20 Budget (Attachment 1) and direct the Executive Officer to distribute the document for review and comment to the Board of Supervisors, cities, and special districts.
- 2. Direct staff to schedule a public hearing, per Government Code Section 56381, for consideration and adoption of the Final FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Budget at the May 8, 2019 regular meeting.
- 3. Adopt the form of resolution (*Attachment 2*) approving the updated OC LAFCO Fee Schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

CAROLYN EMERY

DEBRA KURITA

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#### Attachments:

- 1. Proposed FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Budget
  - A. FY 2019-20 Budget Categories
  - B. Special District Apportionments for FY 2019-20 (prepared by County Auditor-Controller)
  - C. City Apportionments for FY 2019-20 (prepared by County Auditor-Controller)
- 2. Updated OC LAFCO Fee Schedule Resolution

#### ORANGE COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION PROPOSED BUDGET

Fiscal Year 2019-20

	A FY 18/19 Approved Budget	B FY 19/20 Proposed Budget	C \$ Budget Variance	D % Budget Variance
Projected Apportionment % Increase Factor		3.0%		
(Additions)/Uses of Unreserved Equity REVENUES	\$ 33,583	\$ 116,150	\$ 82,567	245.9%
4000 LAFCO Apportionment 4200 Interest 4150 Miscellaneous Revenue	1,091,777 14,500	1,124,500 18,000	32,723 3,500	3.0% 24.1% 0.0%
REVENUES & USES / (ADDITIONS) TO CASH	1,139,860	1,258,650	118,790	10.4%
EXPENDITURES				
Salaries & Benefits				
5000 Salaries	440,800	498,500	57,700	13.1%
5010 Hourly Employees	10,000	10,000		0.0%
5106 Retirement	126,100	176,900	50,800	40.3%
5109 Retiree Health Benefits	17,900	20,200	2,300	12.8%
5108 Health Insurance	53,000	56,700	3,700	7.0%
5110 Dental Insurance	5,400	5,600	200	3.7%
5112 Life Insurance	600	600	-	0.0%
5102 Optional Benefit Plan	18,500	18,500	-	0.0%
5104 Deferred Compensation	9,300	15,400	6,100	65.6%
5116 Medicare	6,500	7,400	900	13.8%
5114 Worker's Compensation	3,500	3,800	300	8.6%
5120 Salary Continuance	1,500	1,800	300	20.0%
5122 Accidental Death Insurance	130	150	20	15.4%
5125 Executive Car Allowance	7,200	7,200	-	0.0%
Total Salaries & Benefits	700,430	822,750	122,320	17.5%
Office Operations & Supplies				
5150 Information Technology	10,000	10,000	_	0.0%
5151 Internet & Telephone	15,100	16,200	1,100	7.3%
5200 County Charges	4,000	5,500	1,500	37.5%
5250 Insurance	15,600	16,000	400	2.6%
5350 Membership/Subscriptions	32,400	33,800	1,400	4.3%
5450 Office Equipment/Supplies	15,000	10,000	(5,000)	-33.3%
Professional Services				
5510 Legal	60,000	60,000	-	0.0%
5520 Audit Accounting	42,900	43,100	200	0.5%
5530 Human Resources	8,000	9,000	1,000	12.5%
5540 Other Professional	75,000	60,000	(15,000)	-20.0%
Other Operations				
5535 Mapping	7,200	7,200	-	0.0%
5550 Investment Admin Fees	660	600	(60)	-9.1%
5560 Banking Fees	220	- I	(220)	0.0%
5600 Public Noticing / Communications	1,200	2,000	800	66.7%
5610 Unincorporated Areas Program	3,800	6,000	2,200	57.9%
5650 Rents/Maintenance	74,000	79,800	5,800	7.8%
5675 Equipment Leases & Maintenance	5,100	7,200	2,100	41.2%
5700 Commissioner/Staff Expenses	8,400	7,000	(1,400)	-16.7%
5710 Commission Stipends & Taxes/Fees	16,200	16,200	-	0.0%

#### ORANGE COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION PROPOSED BUDGET

Fiscal Year 2019-20

			A		В		C	D
		F	Y 18/19	F	Y 19/20		\$	%
		A	pproved	P	roposed	]	Budget	Budget
			Budget		Budget	V	ariance	Variance
	5750 Professional Development		20,000		22,000		2,000	10.0%
	5800 Registration/Travel		19,350		18,300		(1,050)	-5.4%
	5850 Commission Meeting Expenses		5,300		6,000		700	13.2%
	Subtotal: Operations, Supplies & Services		439,430		435,900		(3,530)	-0.8%
TOTAL E	EXPENDITURES		1,139,860		1,258,650		118,790	10.4%
NET BUD	OGET	\$	-	S	-	\$	-	
		A	Y 18/19 pproved Budget	P	Y 19/20 roposed Budget			
	PROJECTED RESERVES				<del></del>			
1	Contingency reserve	\$	100,000	\$	100,000			
2	Reserve for litigation		75,000		75,000			
3	Unfunded liability reserve		30,000		30,000			
4	Reserve - 25% of Budgeted Expenditures		284,965		314,663			
5	<u>UNRESERVED CASH</u>							
6	Balance at the Beginning of FY		709,786		727,038			
7	Addition (Drawdown) to Unreserved Cash		(33,583)		(116,150)			
8	Projected unreserved cash at the End of FY		676,204		610,888			
9	Total Projected Cash Balances at End of FY	\$	1,166,169	\$	1,130,550			

#### REVENUES

The following summarizes what is included in each of the revenue categories used in the proposed FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Budget:

#### 4000 OC LAFCO Apportionment

These funds are provided by the County, independent special districts and cities. The County pays 1/3 of the total apportionment cost. The cost allocation formulas for the cities and special districts are in accordance with the alternative formulas adopted by the City Selection Committee and the Independent Special Districts Selection Committee respectively.

#### 4050 Filing Fees

These funds are provided by incoming project applications, including but not limited to annexations, reorganizations, incorporations, dissolutions, and consolidations. Filing fees vary with each project received and are not budgeted as revenue due to the uncertainty of when applications are filed. Filing fees are collected to offset OC LAFCO salaries, benefits and other expenditures associated with applications.

#### 4200 Interest

These funds are the interest earned from the agency's bank and County payroll accounts and investment portfolio, including the Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF) and the Orange County Fund.

#### 4150 Miscellaneous Revenue

These funds are incurred by nonoperational income including but not limited to reimbursements.

#### **EXPENDITURES**

The following summarizes what is included in each of the expenditure categories used in the proposed FY 2019-20 OC LAFCO Budget:

#### 5000-5125 Salaries and Benefits

These categories include costs incurred for OC LAFCO employee (full-time and hourly) salaries and benefits, including retirement, unemployment insurance, health and dental insurance, workers' compensation, and Medicare. OC LAFCO contracts with the County of Orange for payroll and benefit services.

#### 5150 Information Technology

This category includes costs incurred for the technical support for regular maintenance and upgrades to the OC LAFCO computer systems and website. OC LAFCO contracts with an independent contractor for these IT services.

#### 5151 Internet and Telephone Expense

This category includes telephone and mobile phone costs, leasing telephone equipment, telephone technical support, website hosting, and internet service.

#### 5200 County Charges

This category includes costs incurred for payroll processing, archiving services, warehouse storage for OC LAFCO files and records, and billing and collection of County, city and special district allocations provided by the County of Orange.

#### 5250 Insurance

This category includes costs incurred for insurance coverage. OC LAFCO contracts with the County of Orange Risk Management Division for the following coverages for instances that occur during the general operation of the agency.

- General Liability (SLIP) Includes coverage for personal injury (including bodily injury and property damage), non-owned auto liability, public officials' errors and omissions and employment practices liability.
- Workers' Compensation State mandated coverage for OC LAFCO employees for work related injuries.
- Crime Includes coverage for employee or non-employee theft, burglary, forgery or alteration, computer fraud, funds transfer fraud.
- Property (SPIP) Includes per occurrence, all perils coverage for damage to property including personal property and business interruption coverage.

#### 5350 Membership/Subscriptions

This category includes memberships and subscriptions fees to CALAFCO, CSDA, OCBC, CDR and other applicable memberships.

#### 5450 Office Equipment/Supplies

This category includes costs incurred for the purchase of computer and office supplies/equipment, postage, and software that support the efficient operations of the agency.

#### 5500 Professional Services

This category includes costs incurred for professional services provided to OC LAFCO. The following are subcategories for professional services:

- ✓ 5510 Legal OC LAFCO legal counsel expenditures.
- ✓ 5520 Auditing/Accounting Bookkeeping and accounting services. This category also includes costs incurred for a certified public accounting firm to conduct mandated audits of OC LAFCO's financial statements and consultant assistance.
- ✓ 5530 Human Resources Personnel costs that may include recruitment, professional development and human resource publications.
- ✓ 5535 Mapping OC LAFCO's Geographic Information System (GIS) and other mapping programs.
- ✓ 5540 Other Professional Services Outside consulting and professional services used for complex and/or contentious projects that may include meeting facilitation, peer reviews, and preparation of Municipal Service Reviews, fiscal studies and other reports.

#### 5550 Investment Admin Fees

This category includes costs incurred for administrative fees charged by the County of Orange for financial services related to the OC Fund investment portfolio.

#### 5560 Banking Fees

This category includes costs incurred for administrative fees charged by Wells Fargo for management of the OC LAFCO checking and savings accounts.

#### 5600 Public Noticing/Communications

This category includes costs incurred for required legal notices and other communications for Commission-initiated and other projects (e.g., spheres of influence reviews and updates, municipal service reviews, and annual budget adoption) that are not reimbursable through application fees.

#### 5610 Unincorporated Areas Program

This category includes costs incurred for the processing of applications under the Commission's Unincorporated Areas Program.

#### 5650 Rents/Maintenance

This category includes costs for leasing of OC LAFCO office space.

#### 5675 Equipment Leases/Maintenance

This category includes costs for leasing and maintenance of the copier and printers, for OC LAFCO office use.

#### 5700 Commissioner/Staff Expenses

This category includes costs incurred for Commissioner parking, mileage reimbursement, and staff meeting and educational reimbursement expenses.

#### 5710 Commissioner Stipends & Taxes/Fees

This category includes Commissioner meeting stipends and related employment taxes and fees.

#### 5750 Professional Development

This category includes costs related to professional development (e.g., conferences, workshops, university courses, or other training classes).

#### 5800 Transportation/Travel/Registration

This category includes costs incurred for registration and travel expenses for commissioners and staff to attend the CALAFCO annual conference and board meetings, staff workshop and other conferences.

#### 5850 Commission Meeting Expenses

This category includes costs incurred for room rental, parking and miscellaneous supplies used for Commission meetings.

#### Contingency Reserve

Restricted funds used to cover any unforeseen future agency loss and/or urgency (i.e., property or equipment damage, loss or theft).

#### Reserve for Litigation

Restricted funds used for costs related to agency legal challenges.

#### Unfunded Liability Reserve

Restricted funds used to offset anticipated agency liabilities (i.e., employee vacation payouts).

#### OC LAFCO FY 2019-20 Special District Allocations

District		OOC Formula alulation FY 19/20
Rossmoor/Los Alamitos Sewer	\$	500.00
Silverado-Modjeska Rec. & Park		500,00
Surfside Colony Stormwater		500.00
Surfside Colony CSD	100	1,000.00
Buena Park Library District	123	2,000.00
Capistrano Bay CSD		2,000.00
Orange County Cemetery District		2,000.00
Orange County Vector Control		2,000.00
Placentia Library District		2,000.00
Rossmoor CSD		2,000.00
Three Arch Bay CSD		2,000.00
Total Non-Enterprise Districts	\$	16,500.00
Emerald Bay CSD	\$	10,033.33
Sunset Beach Sanitary District	Leve	10,033.33
East Orange Co. Water District		15,408.34
Serrano Water District		15,408.34
Costa Mesa Sanitary District		20,783.34
Midway City Sanitary District		20,783.34
Trabuco Canyon Water District		20,783.34
El Toro Water District		27,233.33
Irvine Ranch Water District		27,233.33
Mesa Water District		27,233.33
Moulton Niguel Water District		27,233.33
Municipal Water District of O.C.		27,233.33
Orange County Water District	1033	27,233.33
Santa Margarita Water District		27,233.33
South Coast Water District	1	27,233.33
Yorba Linda Water District		27,233.33
Total Enterprise Districts	\$	358,333.33
Total Special Districts	\$	374,833.33

#### OC LAFCO FY 2019-20 City Allocations

City	FY 19-20
	City Allocation
Aliso Viejo	\$ 5,851.89
Anaheim	41,042.37
Brea	6,523.60
Buena Park	9,317.23
Costa Mesa	1,3,103,05
Cypress	5,627.00
Dana Point	4,321.08
Fountain Valley	6,760.87
Fullerton	16,997.20
Garden Grove	18,595.48
Huntington Beach	22,968.29
Irvine	38,012.22
Laguna Beach	3,986.35
Laguna Hills	4,157.65
Laguna Niguel	8,787.22
Laguna Woods	2,135.43
La Habra	6,879.32
Lake Forest	10,839.43
La Palma	1,726.49
Los Alamitos	1,919.15
Mission Viejo	12,040.40
Newport Beach	1/3,217.37
Orange	17,613.04
Placentia	5,853.03
Rancho Santa Margarita	7,073.48
San Clemente	9,653.45
San Juan Capistrano	6,390.16
Santa Ana	33,931.41
Seal Beach	4,917.44
Stanton	3,944.37
Tustin	9,302.61
Villa Park	971.94
Westminster	10,059,77
Yorba Linda	10,313.54
TOTAL	\$ 374,833.33

#### CP 19-05

# RESOLUTION OF THE LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION OF ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA UPDATING THE OC LAFCO FEE SCHEDULE

#### April 10, 2019

On motion of	duly seconded and carried, the following
resolution was adopted:	

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 56383 allows for a Local Agency Formation Commission to establish a schedule of fees for the costs of proceedings; and

WHEREAS, it is the Commission's policy that fees should be based on actual processing costs plus the costs of necessary indirect and administrative functions; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer gave notice of this matter in the manner required by law; and

WHEREAS, the Commission complied with the requirements of Government Code Section 66016, and

WHEREAS, the Commission discussed and considered all oral and written testimony for and against this matter including, but not limited to, the staff report and recommendations from the Executive Officer;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Local Agency Formation Commission of Orange County based on the findings, discussion, and conclusions set forth in the staff report, which is incorporated herein by this reference, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DETERMINE and ORDER as follows:

- 1. The fee schedule set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto is hereby adopted, to become effective on July 1, 2019.
- 2. The fees set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto do not exceed the estimated reasonable costs of providing the services for which the fees are charged and are necessary to pay the costs of operations related to filing and processing applications to the Orange Local Agency Formation Commission.

AYES:

NOES:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )

SS.

COUNTY OF ORANGE

I, Cheryl Brothers, Chair of the Local Agency Formation Commission of Orange County, California, hereby certify that the above and foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted by said Commission at a regular meeting thereof, held on the \_\_ day of \_\_\_ 2019.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ 2019.

CHERYL BROTHERS
Chair of the Orange County
Local Agency Formation Commission



#### EXHIBIT A

#### ORANGE COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION SCHEDULE OF FILING AND PROCESSING FEES

#### **Effective 7/1/2019**

#### FEE SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

In accordance with Government Code Section 56383, the Commission may establish a schedule of fees and a schedule of service charges for Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) proceedings. The submission of an application to the Orange County (LAFCO) is not officially accepted for processing until the filing fee deposits have been received by the agency. The fees associated with an application or petition are calculated on a time and materials schedule as detailed in the Fee Schedule.

#### **PROVISIONS**

#### 1. Additional Deposits:

- a. The Executive Officer may require an additional deposit from applicants to cover actual costs for review and processing of any application if the Executive Officer determines the project is extraordinary in scope. For example, the Executive Officer may determine that the processing of the proposal will require advice and counsel from LAFCO's General Counsel beyond routine review of the Executive Officer' report, Commission resolutions, and agenda materials. Further, LAFCO reserves the right to require reimbursement for additional expenses not listed in the fee schedule but incurred as a result of processing an application.
- b. If the actual charges exceed the amount of the deposit, the applicant or petitioner shall be notified and shall pay the excess within 15 days of receipt of a statement from LAFCO. Failure to pay may be cause for delay and/or denial of the application/petition, and no proceeding or application shall be completed until all fees due have been paid in full.

#### 2. Indemnification Agreement Requirement

As a condition of approval of any change of organization or reorganization, out-of-agency service agreement, sphere of influence or municipal service review by LAFCO, the applicant(s) and real party(ies) in interest are required to defend, indemnify, hold harmless, and release LAFCO and its agents, officers, attorneys, and employees from any claim, action, or proceeding against LAFCO, and its agents, officers, attorneys, and employees to attack, set aside, void, or annul the approval

of LAFCO concerning the proposal or any action relating to, or arising out of, such approval. In accordance with the Commission's Policy for Indemnification of LAFCO by Applicants (adopted March 8, 2000), the applicant(s) and real party (ies) in interest are required to submit a signed indemnification agreement as part of the application.

#### ORANGE COUNTY LAFCO FEE SCHEDULE

#### **LAFCO PROCESSING FEES**

7,000		
TYPE OF ACTION	COST SCHEDULE	INITIAL DEPOSIT
One Change of Organization (e.g. annexation or detachment)	Time and Materials	\$4,600
One Change of Organization with Sphere of Influence Change	Time and Materials	\$5,600
Reorganizations (request for 2 or more changes of organization)	Time and Materials	\$7,900
District Formations or Consolidations	Time and Materials	\$10,000
District Dissolutions, Mergers, or Establishment of a Subsidiary District	Time and Materials	\$7,900
City Incorporations/Dis-incorporations (See additional project completion deposits below.)	Time and Materials	\$10,000
Activation of Latent Powers	Time and Materials	\$7.900
Request for Municipal Service Review and/or Sphere of Influence Review/Update	Time and Materials	\$7.900
Out-of-Agency Service Agreement	Time and Materials	\$4,600
Request for Reconsideration	Time and Materials	\$3,200
Request for Extension of Time to Complete Proceedings	Time and Materials	\$1,000

#### LAFCO STAFF/LEGAL COUNSEL BILLING RATES

LAFCO Staff Rate	Fully Burdened Hourly Rate*
LAFCO Legal Counsel	Actual Costs*

<sup>\*</sup>See Attachment A for current rates.

#### PROJECT COMPLETION FEES AND CHARGES

Public Noticing and	Actual Costs
Publication Costs	(Based on noticing required by Government Code Section 56661)
State Board of Equalization	Actual Costs
Fees	(Payable to the State Board of Equalization and based on their latest fee schedule)
Compliance with California	Actual Costs
Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)	(May include LAFCO staff time to prepare environmental documentation, actual consultant costs, and appropriate filing fees. Department of Fish and Wildlife filing fees are required to be paid at the time LAFCO files the Notice of Determination with the Clerk of the Board. The fees listed below include the county's \$50 filing fee and are current as of January 1, 2019)  a. Negative Declaration \$2,404.75  b. Environmental Impact Report \$3,321.00
Comprehensive Fiscal Analysis for Incorporation or Disincorporation Proposals	Actual Costs  (A \$50,000 deposit is required at the time the application is submitted.  All excess costs will be the responsibility of the project proponent; any balance will be refunded at the conclusion of the project.)
State Controller's Fiscal Review for Incorporations	Actual Costs  (A \$25,000 deposit is required at the time a Request for State Controller Review is submitted. At excess casts will be the responsibility of the project proponent, any balance will be refunded at the conclusion of the project.)
Registrar of Voters – Verification of Signatures	Actual Costs
Special Legal Counsel Costs	Actual Costs
Consultants	Actual Costs

#### MATERIALS CHARGES

Reproduction and Faxing Costs	Actual Costs*
Postage or Overnight Service	Actual Costs
Agenda Packet	Actual cost of reproductions *
(Specific Meeting)	
Agenda Packet	\$250/year (hard copy)
(subscription)	

<sup>\*</sup>See Attachment A for current rates.

#### **ATTACHMENT A**

#### ORANGE COUNTY LAFCO FEE SCHEDULE

#### **ACTUAL COST RATES**

Updated 7/1/2019

1. Fully burdened staff hourly rates:

Position	Hourly Rate
Executive Officer	\$ 147
Assistant Executive Officer	\$ 93
Policy Analyst*	\$ 45-53
Commission Clerk	\$ 53

<sup>\*</sup>Analyst I and Analyst II Class Series

- 2. Legal Counsel Hourly Rates \$ 260 for LAFCO-initiated services \$ 517.50 for project applicant-initiated services
- 3. Reproduction Cost 0.25 per page
- 4. Audio Tape Reproduction Cost \$15.00

#### GGUSDPride: Awesome Art Accolade, Special Soccer Tournament, New Learning Garden, STEAM Lab donations, and

From : Garden Grove Unified School District

Wed, Apr 03, 2019 03:54 PM

<pio\_department@ggusd.us>

SubjectGUSDPride: Awesome Art Accolade, Special Soccer Tournament, New Learning Garden, STEAM Lab donations,

and more!

To: meenay@ci.garden-grove.ca.us

Reply To department <pio\_department@ggusd.us>

April 3, 2019



#### **#GGUSDPRIDE E-newsletter**

The #GGUSDPride E-newsletter features many of the great things happening in GGUSD. Send your photos to pio\_department@ggusd.us to highlight your school or students in the e-newsletter.

#### **GGUSD Named among Nation's Best for Music Education**



GGUSD has received the 2019 Best Communities for Music Education Award, a distinction presented to districts that demonstrate outstanding achievement in providing music access and education to all students. GGUSD is one of only four districts in Orange County and one of 18 districts across California to receive this national recognition. Our top-notch Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA) program is well deserving of this honor. Click here to read more about this awesome accolade.









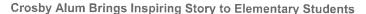
#### Peters K-3 Receives Generous Donation

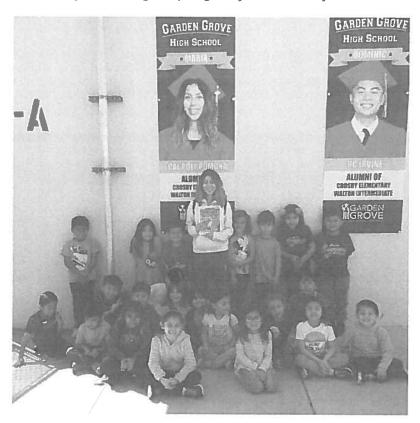
Peters K-3 was presented with a \$1,500 grant by the Denny family courtesy of the Pacific Life Foundation to purchase a new green screen and Dot & Dash Robots for the school's STEAM LAB. This is the second time this year that Pacific Life Foundation has displayed their generosity to the Peters community. Last July, over 120 Pacific Life Foundation volunteers came out and beautified the campus with a splash of color on the blacktop, a new school mural, and new flexible seating in the library.



#### **Special Soccer Tournament**

GGUSD's Special Education soccer games were chock-full of intensity and excitement! Students from across the district came together to have some fun and flex their skills on the soccer field. The day was full of ESPN-worthy highlights and an exciting penalty kick shoot out. In the end, it was all about having fun and focusing on students' wonderful abilities.





Former Crosby Elementary School student Maria visited with Crosby kindergarten students recently to share about her journey and provide an update from college. Maria graduated last year from Garden Grove High School and is currently attending Cal Poly Pomona. Kindergarten students were inspired by her story of academic and personal success. We are grateful she returned for a visit and had to take her photo by the graduation banner that hangs at Crosby to celebrate the success of Crosby Elementary School products and GGUSD grads.

Eisenhower Elementary School kindergarten teachers, Mrs. Velazquez, Mrs. Halter, Mrs. Howell, and Mrs. Gerstner, and the school's resident "Garden Expert" Mr. Keeney spent their first day of spring Break building a new kindergarten garden. The staff can't wait to plant seeds of knowledge with kindergarten students and watch them blossom!



#### Pre-Enrollment for Transitional Kindergarten and Full-Day Kindergarten Is Now Open!



Pre-enrollment for Fall 2019/20 full-day transitional kindergarten and full-day kindergarten classes in the Garden Grove Unified School District is now open! Parents should pre-enroll online as early as possible at <a href="https://enroll.ggusd.us">https://enroll.ggusd.us</a> and contact their child's home school for further assistance. Please note that all GGUSD elementary school offices will be closed for the summer and will resume enrollment when the offices reopen for the school year.

Click Here for More Information

#### Garden Grove Unified School District

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#### **WEEKLY MEMO 4-11-19**

#### SOCIAL MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS

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Garden Grove City Hall

CITY NOW HIRING 2.4k 41 9 8% 220

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The City is accepting applications for sworn and non-sworn positions for the Garden Grove Police Department. Job openings include:

- Police Recruit
- Police Recruit (Academy Enrolled)
- Police Officer (Academy Trained)
- Lateral Police Officer
- Reserve Police Officer Level I, II, and III
- Police Cadet

Apply online by Monday, April 29, at ggpd.org/join. #GG1956 #GardenGrove #Community #ProtectandServe #GGPD32 #NowHiring #JobOpenings #ThinBlueLine #BestinBlue #JoinGGPD



(Post) April 4, 2019 12:37 pm



### Garden Grove City Hall

Low-Cost Pet Clinic Event at Magnolia Park

One week from today, the City, Garden Grove Animal Care Services, and Vet Care will host a Rabies Vaccine Clinic on Sunday, April 14, from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at Magnolia Park, 11402 Magnolia St. Services provided include rabies vaccinations, fecal exams, de-worming, micro-chipping, and prescription flea control.

Help your fur baby live a safe and healthy life - Visit https://bit.ly/2YT08VI. #GG1956 #GardenGrove #Communtiy #PetOwners Garden Grove Public Works Department



(Post) April 7, 2019 1:10 pm

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Garden Grove City Hall
ENROLLMENT FOR SUMMER CLASSES,
PROGRAMS BEGINS APRIL 11 -->
ggparksandrec.com

Make the most of your summer, sign up for summer classes and programs offered to the community at an affordable price. Classes include arts and crafts; dancing and gymnastics; fitness; music; pet training; sports; and more! Help your children learn how to swim through the City's spring and summer aquatics program, designed around lessons from American Red Cross.

Do you need help with the kids during summer break? The City provides day camp to children, ages 5-12. Garden Grove Day Camp is a fun, safe and affordable 10-week program beginning June 17, 2019.

Parents are encouraged to register participants as early as possible as many classes have limited enrollment space and to secure early-bird benefits - Visit ggparksandrec.com today!

#GG1956 #GardenGrove #Community #Summer2019 #SummerClasses #ParksMakeLifeBetter #CommunityService



(Post) April 6, 2019 12:32 pm



Garden Grove City Hall

**#TrafficTipTuesday** from the **Garden Grove Police Department**'s Accident Reduction Team (ART).

#DistractedDrivingAwarenessMonth #GG156 #GGPD32 #GardenGrove #SafeStreetsGG #StayAlertGG



(Post) April 9, 2019 1:25 pm

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### Garden Grove City Hall

I-5 (SR-55 to SR-57) HOV Improvements Project to require lane closures and a full freeway closure due to the demolition of the I-5/Main Street HOV ramp, starting next week. Construction activities will take place on weeknights, between 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. Motorists are asked to plan accordingly to avoid delays.

Learn more about the I-5 HOV Improvements Project and stay up to date with construction activities, visit http://bit.ly/I-5-projectoverview or follow OC I-5 Central County.

#GG1956 #GardenGrove #Community #ConstructionNotice #LaneClosure #OrangeCounty #OCTA OCTA



(Post) April 5, 2019 6:21 pm



### Garden Grove City Hall

More than half of the 2019 Eggs-cavation tickets have been sold!

Be sure to buy your tickets before they're sold out at ggcity.org/reggister or at the Recreation Counter, located on the 1st floor of Garden Grove City Hall, at 11222 Acacia Parkway. To order by phone, or for more information, call (714) 741-5200.

Visit the event page at www.facebook.com/events/2009328846 041429/. For more information, visit ggcity.org/communityservices/eggscavation

#GG1956 #GardenGrove #GG1956 #Eggscavation



(Post) April 5, 2019 10:40 am

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Date Sent Total Reach Reactions Comments Engagement Clicks Garden Grove City Hall California is known for its colorful citrus 1.7k 17 3% 51 1 trees, and taking proper care is important to ensure these trees stay healthy and fruitful for years to come. In addition to watering, pruning and fertilizing your citrus tree this spring, be sure to inspect your trees for signs of a dangerous pest and tree disease called Huanglongbing. To learn more, visit @CaliforniaCitrusThreat or CaliforniaCitrusThreat.org. #GG1956 #GardenGrove

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#CitrusGreening



(Post) April 8, 2019 8:39 am



### Garden Grove City Hall

Adopt-a-Tree Program Special for Earth Day and Arbor Day

In celebration of Earth Day on Monday, April 22, 2019 and Arbor Day on Friday, April 26, 2019, the City of Garden Grove's Public Works Department is offering an adopt-a-tree special. Tree adoption cost is \$40. The adopt-a-tree special ends on Friday, May 10, 2019.

For more information, visit ggcity.org/news-and-events/adopt-treeprogram-special-earth-day-and-arbor-day

#EarthDay #ArborDay #GG1956 #GardenGrove Garden Grove Public **Works Department** 



(Post) April 9, 2019 10:59 am

	Date Sent	Total Reach	Reactions	Comments	Engagement	Clicks
Gasset Chart	Garden Grove City Hall You can never train too hard for a career that is physically demanding.  Visit ggpd.org/join and submit your application by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 29, 2019.  #GG1956 #GardenGrove #GGPD32 #JoinGGPD #recruit #reserve #cadet #lateral #fitness #getfit Garden Grove Police Department  (Post) April 10, 2019 6:01 pm	831	7	-	2%	9
Games Gaber	Garden Grove City Hall Gutosky Park Playground closing temporarily for re-surfacing.  Starting Wednesday, April 10 through tentatively Monday, April 15 to demolish and re-surface the playground floor.  For more information, visit ggcity.org/gutosky-playground-temporarily-closed  #GG1956 #GardenGrove #ParksandRecreation  (Post) April 8, 2019 2:35 pm	1.2k	6	2	3%	41
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### CityGardenGrove

Don't forget...

This Saturday, April 13 is the Garden Grove Public Works Department's free Annual Compost Giveaway, from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.! For more info, visit bit.ly/2lqDNcs

#GG1956

(Tweet) April 10, 2019 3:21 pm

Potential Reach

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### CityGardenGrove

EMERGENCY WATER OUTAGE - Due to a main break at 12902 Harbor Boulevard. near the cross streets of Harbor and Garden Grove Boulevards, Water Services has had to make an emergency shutdown in that area. Water will be accessible at approximately 4PM. #GG1956

(Tweet) April 10, 2019 8:13 am

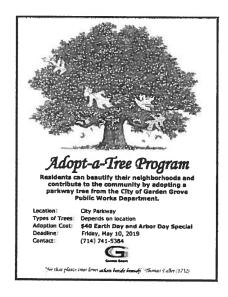


### CityGardenGrove

Adopt-a-Tree Program Special for Earth Day&Arbor Day

In celebration of Earth Day on Monday, 4/22 and Arbor Day on Friday, 4/26, the City of Garden Grove's Public Works Department is offering an adopt-a-tree special.

For more info, visit bit.ly/2G2odRr #GG1956 pic.twitter.com/QTm97w5ixb



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### CityGardenGrove

The Gutosky Park playground will be temporarily closed starting this Wednesday, April 10 through Monday, April 15, tentatively, to demolish and resurface the playground floor, For more info, visit bit.ly/2uUmXL6 #GG1956 pic.twitter.com/uYLqrw0W7H



(Tweet) April 8, 2019 2:09 pm



### CityGardenGrove

California is known for colorful #citrus trees, and proper care is important to ensure these trees stay healthy. In addition to watering, pruning and fertilizing, be sure to inspect citrus trees for signs of a dangerous tree disease called #Huanglongbing.@CitrusThreat #GG1956 pic.twitter.com/yil7Q8uGga

SPRING GARDENING TIPS FOR YOUR BACKYARD CITRUS TREE















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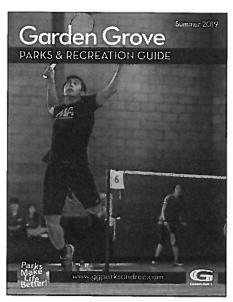


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ENROLLMENT FOR SUMMER CLASSES, **PROGRAMS BEGINS APRIL 11** 

Make the most of your summer, sign up for summer classes and programs offered to the community at an affordable price - Visit ggparksandrec.com today!

#GG1956 #Community #Summer2019 #ParksMakeLifeBetter pic.twitter.com/uHXpFzRXtb



(Tweet) April 6, 2019 12:40 pm



### CityGardenGrove

I-5 HOV Improvements Project to require lane closures & full freeway closure due to the demolition of the I-5/Main St HOV ramp, starting next week. Activities will take place on weeknights, 10PM-5AM. Motorists are asked to plan accordingly to avoid delays. bit.ly/I-5-projectove... pic.twitter.com/xwKBaGlok9



•HOV ramp to be demolished in three stages



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More than half of the 2019 Eggs-cavation tickets have been sold!

Be sure to buy your tickets before they're sold out at **ggcity.org/reggister** or at the Recreation Counter, at 11222 Acacia Parkway. To order by phone,call (714) 741-5200. **#GG1956 bit.ly/2FyXE7b** pic.twitter.com/kcczsBrhqJ



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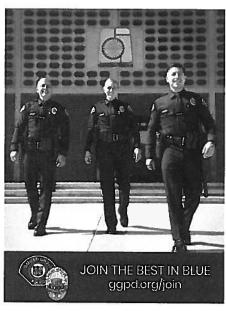


### CityGardenGrove

NOW HIRING, APPLY @ ggpd.org/join: The City is accepting applications for @GardenGrovePD. Positions include:

- -Police Recruit
- -Police Recruit(Academy Enrolled)
- -Police Officer(Academy Trained)
- -Lateral Police Officer
- -Reserve Police Officer Level I II & III
- -Police Cadet

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April is #DistractedDrivingAwareness Month. Don't be that guy. #GGPD32 #JustDrive #AccidentReductionTeam Garden Grove City Hall NHTSA California Office of Traffic Safety	3.1k	87	23	11%	434
(Post) April 9, 2019 12,00 pm					
Garden Grove Police Department					
It's #NationalVolunteerWeek!	2.3k	72	4	5%	82

#GardenGrovePD is the little humble agency that could...do more with less, because of these angels.

A great big "Thank You" to those who have and continue to give so generously of their time. We appreciate all the big and little things you do to keep us running smoothly.

For more information on our Volunteers In Policing (#VIP) program please contact us at crimeprevention@ggcity.org or 714-741-5760. #GGPD32 #policework #Post1020

#gratitude Garden Grove PA



(Post) April 8, 2019 3:03 pm

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Garden Grove Police Department					
We're looking for the next generation of #heroes. If you think you've got what it takes, go to http://ggpd.org/join and submit your application by 5:00 pm, April 29, 2019. #GGPD32 #JoinGGPD #NewYearNewGoals Garden Grove City Hall Garden Grove PA	3k	63	12	7%	201
WE'RE HIRING!  (Post) April 4, 2019 12:00 pm					
Garden Grove Police Department  Next week is <b>#Volunteer</b> Appreciation	1.9k	39	5	7%	154



Week and we're kicking it off with a #FlashbackFriday of some of the incredible men and women who give so generously of their time. (c. 1999)

#GardenGrovePD is the little humble agency that could...do more with less, because of these angels. Thank you for all the big and small things you do to keep us running smoothly. #GGPD32 #policework #gratitude Garden Grove PA



(Post) April 5, 2019 12:32 pm

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Garden Grove Police Department It's #NationalVolunteerWeek! From the young and to the old, these #volunteers have and continue to give generously of their time.	1.4k	34	2	5%	80

3.3k

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**#GardenGrovePD** is the little humble agency that could...do more with less, because of these angels. We "thank you" and appreciate all the big & little things you do to keep us running smoothly.

For more information on our Police Explorer Program and how to join, go to http://bit.ly/Post1020 or email us at explorerrecruiting@gmail.com.
#GGPD32 #JoinGGPD #policework
#gratitude
Garden Grove PA



(Post) April 10, 2019 9:00 am



### Garden Grove Police Department

UPDATE: The incident has concluded with no injuries. All lanes of traffic are now open.

ORIGINAL:\*\*\*SigAlert - Street Closure\*\*\*
The following area is shut down due to police activity:

Homeway Dr and Katella Ave

Please avoid the area and use alternate routes until further notice.
#GGPD32 #closures #GardenGrove
Garden Grove City Hall Garden Grove
Fire Department



(Post) April 10, 2019 2:07 pm

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Garden Grove Police Department You may be qualified, but are you prepared?	1.4k	18	(S)	4%	40

After you go to http://ggpd.org/join and submit your application (due by 5:00 pm, April 29, 2019), get out there and #getfit.

You can never train too hard for a career that is physically demanding.
#GGPD32 #JoinGGPD #recruit
#reserve #cadet #lateral #fitness
Garden Grove City Hall Garden Grove



(Post) April 10, 2019 6:00 pm



### **Garden Grove Police Department**

Happy National Tele-communicators Week to the men and women who are the voices behind our badges, 24/7/365. You are our **#lifelines** and our safety nets.

Thank you for everything you do for us and anyone who picks up the phone looking for help.

#GGPD32 #dispatch #thingoldline #911whatsyouremergency



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(Post) April 8, 2019 12:00 pm

### **WEEKLY MEMO 4-11-19**

## **NEWS ARTICLES**

### a clinic

### Vaccine dinic

The City of Garden Grove's Animal Care Services, in coordination with the Pet Clinic and Vaccination Services, is hosting a Rabies Vaccine Clinic on Sunday, April 14 from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Magnolia Park, 11402 Magnolia St.

Rabies vaccinations will be available for \$12. Pet Clinic and Vaccination Services will be available to offer other dog and cat vaccinations, fecal exams, de-worming, physical exams, micro-chipping, prescription flea control, and diagnostic testing.

Individual vaccinations and packaged vaccinations will also be available. Please bring all dogs on leashes and cats in carriers.

For a complete list of services and more information, visit www. vetcarepetclinic.com.

### Razzie Dazzie!

The Garden Grove Main Library is hosting Razzle Dazzle - Special Event at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 17.

Join library staff for Georgia Frawley's interactive songs featuring American Sign Language (ASL) and Brettso the Great's fun and engaging magic and balloon puppet show. This event will be filmed, If you do not wish to be on camera speak to s

The library is at 11200 Stanford Ave. in Garden Grove.

For more information, visit ocpl.ggr@occr.ocgov.com or call714-530-0711.

## **Easter Bunny visits seniors**

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Courtesy photo

Garden Grove seniors are invited to attend the Spring Celebration that includes refreshments, dancing, and entertainment. The event takes place at the H. Louis Lake Senior Center from 10 a.m. to noon on Wednesday, April 17 in the Garden Grove Community Meeting Center, A Room, 11300 Stanford Ave. Lunch will also be available for a suggested donation of \$3 per person. "The Serenaders" will provide live music. Participants will have the opportunity to take pictures with the Easter Bunny.

# Japanese students tour GG High



Courtesy photo

Garden Grove High School was honored to host visiting Japanese high school students recently as they made a stop on campus during their tour of California. The visitors experienced life at Garden Grove High as they arrived before dawn and were paired with an ASB buddy, attended classes together throughout the morning, learned a dance during 4th period, and then participated in a school-wide performance at lunch.

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## City unveils bronze

## bust of Jack Wallin

# Atlantis Play Center graced with likeness of man who designed the popular site

By Loreen Berlin

The City of Garden Grove honored one of its own Tuesday, March 26, as the Bronze Bust of Jack Wallin was unveiled at the Atlantis Play Center.

Wallin not only designed and constructed Atlantis Play Center, he did the same with Garden Grove's Kiwanisland for the Kiwanis Club, of which he was a member, maintaining Kiwanisland until his passing last year.

Wallin was co-founder of the Garden Grove Strawberry Festival Association and served as the city's first Park Superintendent.

The bust was sculpted by Garden Grove Azteca Restaurant business owner Jennifer Stewart. Stewart's attention to detail, includes visual representations of not only Atlantis

see BUST, page 2



Photo by Loreen Berlin

Community leaders gather around the bronze bust of Jack Wallin during the unveiling March 26 at the Atlantis Play Center in Garden Grove. From left, Garden Grove Councilmen George Brietigam and Phat Bui, Mayor Steve Jones, sculptor Jennifer Stewart, Council members Stephanie Klopfenstein and John O'Neill.

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Play Center but his involvement with the Kiwanis Club and Strawberry Festival.

ther of fun who brought a time- family from Santa Fe Springs to a

less magic to Garden Grove that's lasted for generations and April 10, 2019 will certainly continue for many more," said Mayor Steve Jones. "His greatest joy was to compassionately do for and to give to

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others and to see the profound happiness it brought to their lives and this bust is Garden Grove's way of honoring and thanking him for his priceless contributions to our community, in a place that holds so much meaning."

Wallin's son, Steven, said that Jack Wallin attended Pierce College for the Study of Horticulture and also learned from his own father, who was a greens man for the studios in Hollywood.

"In 1958, my dad accepted a job "Jack Wallin was the Godfa- in Garden Grove and moved our what kind of work he did, from hardscape, masonry, rock work and a variety of plant materials that were not commonly used, along with special electrical features."

The Wallin home was honored in the city's Beautification Program.

Wallin said it was fun going to work with his dad, getting to water

the plants and learning plant names from his father and enjoying a stop for breakfast afterwards with his siblings and father.

"It was nice going inside City Hall and being able to tell people that's

where our dad worked," said Wallin. "Dad was also a PTA president and lifetime member, as well as a Boy Scout."

Jack Wallin's goal was to celebrate 60-years with Garden Grove and he accomplished that goal, even riding in last year's Strawberry Festival as the 2018 Garden Grove Strawberry Festival parade Theme Grand Marshal.

Dawn Miller with the Strawberry Festival Association said Wallin was, "A man who noticed the small things but made big things happen" and that Wallin, "Made sure each special-needs child went home with a smile on their face and a tummy full of popcorn, a hotdog and a stuffed animal."

Miller also noted that Wallin started a tradition that continues to date, of hosting a barbecue luncheon for the carnival workers. "This means so much to the carnival people who spend a lot of time away from their families while traveling," said Miller.

Community Services Director John Montanchez said during Wallin's tenure, he helped build six parks and worked on Willowick Golf Course.

"His most notable contribution to the city's parks is the Atlantis Play Center with the 40-foot dragon slide and King Neptune sculpture. Ewhich were Jack's work; the impact Jack made in the community will be enjoyed by generations to come and he will never be forgotten."

Last year, Jack and wife Marge were crowned Strawberry Ball King and Queen, honoring their senior volunteerism within the community.

"Jack Wallin was the Godfather of fun who brought a timeless magic to Garden Grove that's lasted for generations and will certainly continue for many more" — Mayor Steve Jones

duplex on Garden Grove and Cen-

tury boulevards, that still exists;

later he purchased a new home

on the west side of Garden Grove,"

Wallin said. "Our home was one of

his main landscaping jobs, show-

ing the city and everyone else

Jack Wallin moved to Garden Grove in the late 1950's, and dedicated the next 60 years of his life making it a wonderful community in which to live. He selflessly gave his time, heart and spirit to enhancing the hometown he truly cherished. As Superintendent of Parks for the City of Garden Grove, Jack designed and built new parks, most notably Allantis Play Center, spending countless hours perfecting his vision. Jack also shared his landscape expertise and energies at Kiwanisland. Nothing gave him greater joy than to see families enjoying one of his parks. Jack further enriched Garden Grove's quality of life through his steadfast volunteer efforts with the Strawberry Festival Association. He was a founding member, serving 60 consecutive years on its Board of Directors. Jack leaves behind an enduring legacy of commitment. Generations will continue to see and feel the pride he took in his city, and we are forever in his debt for bringing out the kid in all of us. Dedicated on March 26, 2019

Photo by Loreen

The newly-unveiled statue at Atlantic Play Center, in honor of Jack Wallin.

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# Cops honored for protecting kids

Department assigns four resource officers to local schools

In observance of April as National Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Garden Grove Police Department's School Resource Officers were recently honored for efforts in bringing awareness and preventing child abuse and neglect in Garden Grove by the non-profit Raise Foundation, during their 25th Annual Blue Ribbon Kick-Off Ceremony.

"The GGPD's School Resource Officers' passion and drive come from knowing that children are truly innocent victims of circumstances beyond their control," said Garden Grove Police Chief Todd Elgin.

The SROs honored with the Raise Foundation's Shining Light Award were: Captain Ed Leiva; Lieutenant William Allison; Sergeant Jon Wainwright; Officers Gary Elkins, Andy Flaws, Jason Fulton, Robert Kivler; and Detec-

tive David Young.

Four full-time SROs assigned to Garden Grove Unified School District intermediate and high schools help provide campus safety and create a positive connection between the community and the police department. The SROs also work closely with the Boys and Girls Club of Garden Grove and several other non-profit groups that support children's needs.

In addition, the City of Garden Grove actively places efforts in raising awareness and preventing child abuse through family support services and events offered by the Magnolia Park Family Resource Center and the Buena Clinton Youth and Family Center. One example is Family Fun Day, at Magnolia Park, on Thursday, April 25, where families can enjoy activities geared towards quality

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Courtesy photo

From left, Garden Grove Police Department School Resource Officers Lt. William Allison; Capt. Ed Leiva; Officers Robert Kivler, Jason Fulton and Andy Flaws; Det. David Young and Sgt. Jon Wainwright were honored for their efforts in raising awareness about child abuse. Not pictured is Officer Gary Elkins, who was also honored. The recognition came from the Raise Foundation. April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month.

family time.

Blue Ribbon month include a proclamation designating April 2019 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Garden Grove to be placed on the Tuesday, April from abuse and neglect.

9 regular Garden Grove City Other activities observing the lue Ribbon month include a pinwheel garden "planted" at the Garden Grove Chapman Library to raise awareness and memorialize children who died last year

The Raise Foundation is officially designated as Orange County's Child Abuse Prevention Council. For more information about the Raise Foundation's Blue Ribbon awareness campaign, visit www.theraisefoundation.org.

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### CITY OF GARDEN GROVE NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS PROJECT NO. 7211 AND 7289 AMENDED BID OPENING DATE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids to provide labor, material, tools, equipment and transportation, and perform all the work required for "CITY PROJECT NO. 7211 AND 7289 - EUCLID STREET, GARDEN GROVE BOULEVARD AND WOODBURY ROAD REHABILITATIONS AND PALMWOOD DRIVE SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENT PROJECT", will be received at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, City of Garden Grove, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, CA 92840.

The following is a partial listing of work items:

- Roadway rehabilitation by full depth reclamation and cement treatment;
- Cold milling;
- · Roadway excavation;
- · Asphalt paving;
- Replacement of PCC sidewalk, median curb, curb and gutter, cross gutter, wheel chair ramps and stamped color concrete;
- · Block wall;
- Adjustment of utility covers to finish grade; some SD & SS manhole frame and cover will be removed and replaced per plan;
- · Installation of traffic detector loops;
- Installation of traffic striping, signing and raised pavement markers;
- Reestablishment of centerline ties and monuments;
- Other items not mentioned above that are required by the plans and specifications.

The plans, specifications and contract documents may be obtained at the Building Permit Counter located in City Hall, first floor, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, CA 92840, during normal business hours, upon payment of a fee of one hundred dollars (\$100) for each set of plans and specifications. This fee is not refundable. If requested by mail, add thirty-five dollars (\$35) for mailing and handling charges, request shall be to the attention of Department of Public Works/Engineering or call (714) 741-5192.

Bids are due in the City Clerk's Office by 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 24, 2019, and will be opened in Conference Room 1-South, first floor, in City Hall.

Direct ANY and ALL questions to Mr. Navin Maru, Project Engineer, (714) 741-5180.

/s/ TERESA POMEROY, CMC City Clerk Orange County News-4/10,17/2019- 80065

### CITY OF GARDEN GROVE NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS PROJECT NO. 7835

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the City Clerk's Office for the City of Garden Grove, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, CA 92840 to furnish material, equipment, and labor for Project No. 7835 "SEWER IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AT WESTMINSTER AVENUE AND LEXINGTON AVENUE." Engineer's estimate on this project is around \$1,386,000 dollars.

The project consists of replacing 670-lineal feet of 12-inch VCP sewer with 15-inch VCP sewer in Westminster Avenue. The existing sewer alignment begins at the intersection of Euclid Street and Westminster Avenue, and continues east along north side of Westminster Avenue, up to the Anita Place intersection. The existing sewer is located in the city of Santa Ana. In addition, the project also consists of replacing 282 lineal feet of 8-inch VCP sewer with new 8-inch VCP sewer in Lexington Avenue. The existing sewer begins at the intersection of Lexington Avenue and Donegal Drive, and continues east on Lexington Avenue. The existing sewer is located in the city of Garden Grove.

The entire project will also require maintaining the existing sewer flow during construction, reconnecting and/or reconstructing sewer house connections, removal and/or abandonment of the existing sewer lines and manholes, replacement of existing water line sections for sewer crossings, temporary traffic control, pavement resurfacing, traffic restriping, replacement of traffic loop detectors and installation of raised pavement markers and appurtenant work. All existing sewer flows will be maintained during construction through temporary bypass operations.

The plans, specifications and contract documents may be purchased from ARC for the price of fifty-six dollars and twelve cents (\$56.12). The price does not include tax or shipping if needed. The documents may be made available for "will call" or shipped directly to you. Please contact:

ARC
345 Clinton Street
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
www.ocbinc.com
949-660-1150 (ask for the Planwell Department)
Or you can e-mail your order to
costamesa.planwell@e-arc.com

Bids are due in the City Clerk's Office at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 25, 2019, and will be opened in the Conference Room 1-South, first floor, in City Hall.

Direct ANY and ALL questions to Ms. Rebecca Li, Senior Civil Engineer, (714) 741-5562.

/s/ Teresa Pomeroy, CMC City Clerk Orange County News-4/10,17/2019- 80084 Garden Grove Huntington Beach Stanton Westminster

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## Council OKs deal to end GGFD, join OCFA

BY OC TRIBUNE STAFF ON APRIL 10, 2019 • ( 6 COMMENTS )



ORANGE COUNTY Fire Authority firefighters battle a blaze in Westminster in May 2017 (OCFA photo).

After several hours of presentations, discussion and debate, the Garden Grove City Council voted Tuesday night to replace the Garden Grove Fire Department with a 10-year contract with the Orange County Fire Authority, effective in August.

Voting in favor were Mayor Steve Jones and Councilmembers John O'Neill, Phat Bui, Stephanie Klopfenstein and Kim Nguyen. Voting against was George Brietigam, while Thu Ha Nguyen abstained.

(https://orangecountytribune.files.wordpress.com/2016/07/gg-logo\_lg-e1446082015536.jpg)The GGFD was established in 1926 as the Garden Grove Fire Protection District. It became the fire department when the city was incorporated in 1956. The council's decision came after more than a year of hearings, budget analysis and lobbying by the Garden Grove Firefighters' Association Local 2005.

Under the contract, all GGFD sworn personnel and several non-sworn personnel will be taken into employment by the OCFA, which is based in Irvine and which serves 23 cities – soon to be 24 – as well as unincorporated communities. It has 71 fire stations; Garden Grove will add six more.



In the end, the concept of better service carried the day over increased costs. The city's financial study indicated that the switch to the OCFA would add between \$12.4 million and \$13.3 million extra in expenses over a 10-year period.

But backers of the contract argued that going to the OCFA – with additional paramedic staffing – would improve response times and potentially save lives.

Discussion between council members and between the council and speakers sometimes grew rancorous. Exchanges between Brietigam and Eric Thorson, spokesman for the GGFA were heated and part of the in-council debate revolved around Cadillacs and Chevrolets.

"The OCFA is the Cadillac of fire services," said Brietigam. "But can we get along with a Chevy?" Councilwoman Stephanie Klopfenstein shot back with "I want a Cadillac for my family."

Based on their comments, it appeared that council members would split 4-3 in favor of the OCFA contract. But Mayor Steve Jones's remarks may have altered the math, as he told the council and audience that the OCFA deal "was never about money" but about improving firefighting and medical services.

After that Kim Nguyen decided to cast to a "yes" vote and Thu-Ha Nguyen abstained.

When the motion to approve passed, firefighters who lined the walls of the council chambers waiting for the outcome erupted in cheers and applause.

Also on Tuesday night, the council honored retiring Chief of Police Todd Elgin for his 32 years of service to the city.

Additionally, the council approved the use of \$340,000 in grant funding for a "Garden Grove Downtown Active Downtown Plan" and awarded a contract for its development and coordination to KOA Corporation.

The next council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 23 at 5:30 p.m.

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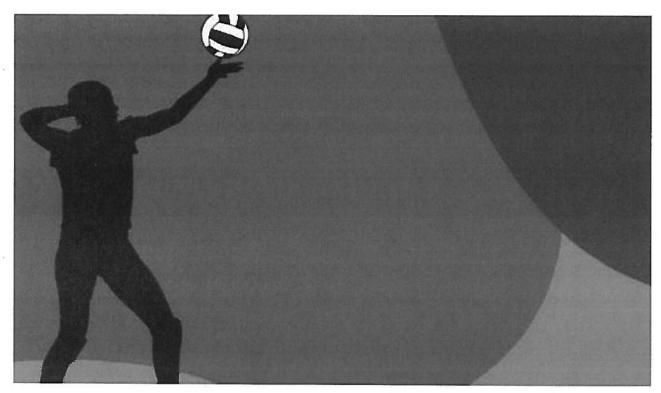
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### **Enrollment on for summer rec classes**

BY OC TRIBUNE STAFF ON APRIL 10, 2019 • ( LEAVE A COMMENT )



VOLLEYBALL is one of the recreation offerings from the City of Garden Grove.

Enrollment for summer 2019 classes and programs offered by the City of Garden Grove begins next Thursday, April 11, 2019. Parents are encouraged to register participants as early as possible as many classes have limited enrollment space and to secure early-bird benefits. To register visit ggparksandrec.com (http://ggparksandrec.com/) or the 1<sup>st</sup> floor Recreation Counter inside Garden Grove City Hall, at 11222 Acacia Parkway.

(https://orangecountytribune.files.wordpress.com/2016/07/gg-logo\_lg.jpg)A variety of affordable summer classes, starting from May through August 2019, are offered to the community. Classes include arts and crafts; dancing and gymnastics; fitness;

martial arts; music; pet training; sports; and special interest courses, such as CPR/AED, first aid, and science for adults, infants, and children.

Participants can also register for spring and summer swimming lessons, as well as Garden Grove Day Camp.

Swimming lessons are based on American Red Cross swimming courses designed to develop personal safety, exercise, and social interaction skills.



Spring lessons begin on Monday, May 6, 2019, Monday through Thursday, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., at Gary Hall Pool, located in Eastgate Park, at 12001 St. Mark Street. Online registration begins on Wednesday, April 17, 2019 through Friday, May 31, 2019. Each lesson is \$60 per student.

Summer lessons begin on Monday, June 17, 2019 and are offered at three local pool locations:

- Gary Hall Pool, located in Eastgate Park, at 12001 St. Mark Street
- Magnolia Park Pool, located at 11402 Magnolia Street
- Woodbury Park Pool, located at 13800 Rosita Place

Each lesson is \$60 per student or \$100 for a private lesson. Registration begins on Thursday, May 2, 2019.

Garden Grove Day Camp provides children, ages 5-12, with a fun and safe 10-week summer program beginning on Monday, June 17, 2019. Camp hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the Garden Grove Courtyard Center, located in Village Green park, at 12732 Main St.. Parents who register before Tuesday, April 30, 2019 will receive \$5 off the weekly fee of \$105 per week.

For a full list of summer classes and programs, as well as registration dates and costs, visit ggparksandrec.com (http://ggparksandrec.com/) or call the Community Services Department at (714) 741-5200.

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CONTACT: Scott Stiles, (714) 741-5000 Garden Grove City Manager

Colleen Windsor, (714) 573-6028 Director of Communications, OCFA

Thursday, April 11, 2019

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### **CITY APPROVES MOVE TO OCFA**

At Tuesday night's regular Garden Grove City Council meeting, the City Council approved entering into an agreement with the Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) to provide fire and emergency medical services to the City of Garden Grove. The agreement provides for the delivery of services to begin on August 16, 2019 with an option to withdraw every ten years.

"Public safety is a top priority for our City Council, especially when it comes to providing the highest level of services that meet the growing needs of our city. I'm confident that the OCFA will not only meet, but will surpass our expectations to protect Garden Grove from destructive fires, and render emergency aid when it's vitally needed," said Garden Grove Mayor Steve Jones.

The decision comes after several months of study and deliberation that began in March 2018 when the City received a proposal from the OCFA to provide the City with fire and emergency services.

"We welcome the Garden Grove firefighters to our department," said OCFA Board Chair Joseph Muller. "Working together, I know these professionals will provide exceptional emergency services to the entire region including the city of Garden Grove."

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Under the provisions of the contract, the OCFA will provide for all personnel and administration, emergency response units and equipment, including vehicle depreciation and replacement, routine station maintenance, fire prevention (plan check reviews, fire inspections, and permits), and community fire education.

"Transitioning a city fire department is complex and time consuming," said OCFA Fire Chief Brian Fennessy. "We have a team in place to ensure a smooth transition, and that the citizens are well-served. I look forward to working with a new group of skilled firefighters."

Currently, the Garden Grove Fire Department employs 77 uniformed personnel that will continue to serve under the OCFA. In addition, paramedics will now have the benefit of a medical director and on-staff nurses to help with education and oversight.

"My goal is to make our transition over to the OCFA as seamless as possible for everyone. It's an exciting new chapter in our city, that in the end, will raise the level of safety and services we currently have, and that's something positive to look forward to," said Garden Grove City Manager Scott Stiles.

To view the agreement and all related documents, visit the City's website at ggcity.org, access the Open Government portal, and click on OCFA Documents, or go directly to https://ggcity.org/open-gov/ocfa-documents



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### **GUTOSKY PARK PLAYGROUND TO CLOSE TEMPORARILY** FOR RE-SURFACING

The Gutosky Park playground will be temporarily closed starting this Wednesday, April 10 through Monday, April 15, tentatively, to demolish and resurface the playground floor. Gutosky Park is located at 9201 Ferris Lane. The material used for re-surfacing is made from California recycled tires.

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Participants can also register for spring and summer swimming lessons, as well as Garden Grove Day Camp.

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Enrollment for Summer Classes, Programs Begins April 11 2-2-2

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Phòng Nhân Sự



Thứ Năm, 4 tháng Tư, 2019

### SỞ CẢNH SÁT GARDEN GROVE HIỆN ĐANG NHẬN ĐƠN TUYỂN NHÂN VIÊN

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Để biết thêm thông tin về Dự luật O, hãy truy cập trang ggcity.org.

Để đăng ký trực tuyến hoặc để biết thêm thông tin bao gồm chi tiết và yêu cầu công việc, hãy truy cập ggpd.org/join.

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Ban Phục vụ Cộng đồng



Thứ Ba, 9 tháng Tư, 2019

#### GARDEN GROVE BẮT ĐẦU NHẬN GHI DANH CHO CÁC LỚP MÙA HÈ VÀO THÁNG TƯ

Thành phố Garden Grove nhận ghi danh cho các lớp học và chương trình học hè 2019 bắt đầu vào Thứ Năm, ngày 11 tháng Tư, 2019. Phụ huynh được khuyến khích ghi danh tham gia càng sớm càng tốt vì nhiều lớp không còn chỗ trống để đăng ký cũng như đảm bảo quyền lợi khi đăng ký sớm. Để đăng ký, hãy truy cập ggparksandrec.com hoặc tại Recreation counter ở tầng 1 bên trong Tòa thị chính Thành phố, tại 11222 Acacia Parkway.

Các lớp học mùa hè giá cả phải chẳng, bắt đầu từ tháng Năm đến tháng Tám, 2019, được mang đến cho cộng đồng. Các lớp học bao gồm nghệ thuật và thủ công; khiêu vũ và thể dục dụng cụ; thể lực; võ thuật; âm nhạc; huấn luyện thú cưng; các môn thể thao; và các khóa học đặc biệt, chẳng hạn như CPR/AED, sơ cứu và khoa học cho người lớn, trẻ sơ sinh và trẻ em. Người tham gia cũng có thể đăng ký các bài học bơi mùa xuân và mùa hè, cũng như chương trình 'Garden Grove Day Camp.'

Các lớp học bơi dựa trên chương trình học bơi của Hội Chữ thập đỏ Hoa Kỳ, được thiết kế để phát triển kỹ năng tương tác xã hội và an toàn cá nhân. Các bài học bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, ngày 6 tháng Năm, 2019, Thứ Hai đến Thứ Năm, từ 4:00 - 6:00 giờ chiều, tại Gary Hall Pool, nằm ở Eastgate Park, tại 12001 St. Mark Street. Đăng ký trực tuyến bắt đầu vào Thứ Tư, ngày 17 tháng Tư, 2019, đến Thứ Sáu, 31 tháng Năm, 2019. Học phí là \$60 mỗi học sinh.

Các lớp học mùa hè bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, 17 tháng Sáu, 2019 và được cung cấp tại ba hồ bơi địa phương:

- Hồ bơi Gary Hall, nằm ở Eastgate Park, tại 12001 St. Mark Street
- Hồ bơi Magnolia Park, toa lạc tại 11402 Magnolia Street
- Woodbury Park Pool, toa lac tai 13800 Rosita Place

Học phí mỗi buổi học là \$60/em hoặc \$100 cho một bài học riêng (private lesson). Đăng ký ghi danh sẽ bắt đầu vào Thứ Năm, ngày 2 tháng Năm, 2019.

Chương trình 'Garden Grove Day Camp' dành cho trẻ em từ 5-12 tuổi, chương trình trại hè vui vẻ và an toàn kéo dài 10 tuần lễ bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, ngày 17 tháng Sáu, 2019. Giờ bắt đầu sinh hoạt tại trại là 7:00 sáng đến 6:00 giờ chiều, từ Thứ Hai đến Thứ Sáu, tại Garden Grove Courtyard Center, nằm trong công viên Village Green Park, tại 12732 Main Street. Phụ huynh đăng ký trước Thứ Ba, ngày 30 tháng Tư, 2019 sẽ được giảm \$5 học phí hàng tuần.

Để biết danh sách đầy đủ các lớp học và chương trình mùa hè, cũng như ngày giờ và học phí, hãy truy cập ggparksandrec.com hoặc gọi cho Ban Phục vụ Cộng đồng ở số (714) 741-5200.

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Thứ Sáu, 5 tháng Tư, 2019

#### CHƯƠNG TRÌNH CHĂM SÓC THỦ YÊU HẠ GIÁ TẠI MAGNOLIA PARK

Dịch Vụ Chăm Sóc Thú Yêu của Thành Phố Garden Grove, phối hợp với
Pet Clinic and Vaccination Services, tổ chức một buổi chích ngừa cho thú cưng vào
Chủ Nhật, ngày 14 tháng 4, 2019, từ 3:30 trưa đến 5:00 giờ, tại Magnolia Park,
địa chỉ 11402 Magnolia Street.

Các dịch vụ sau đây sẽ được khám cho các thú cưng: tiêm chủng cho chó và mèo, fecal exam, de-worming, khám tổng quát, micro-chipping, cắt móng, kê đơn thuốc và hướng dẫn chẩn đoán bệnh.

Các chủng ngừa riêng lẻ và tiêm chủng đóng gói sẽ có sẵn. Xin mang tất cả các thú yêu trên dây xích hoặc nhốt chúng trong lồng.

Để biết danh sách đầy đủ các dịch vụ và thêm thông tin, vui lòng truy cập www.vetcarepetclinic.com.



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Thứ Ba, 9 tháng Tư, 2019

#### DỊCH VỤ TRỒNG CÂY (ADOPT-A-TREE) NHÂN NGÀY TRÁI ĐẤT

Để kỷ niệm Ngày Trái đất (Earth Day) vào Thứ Hai, 22 tháng Tư, 2019 và Ngày Trồng Cây vào Thứ Sáu, 26 tháng Tư, 2019, Ban Công trình Công cộng Thành phố Garden Grove đang cung cấp một dịch vụ đặc biệt để chăm sóc cây. Chi phí trồng cây (adopt-atree) là \$40 và kết thúc vào Thứ Sáu, ngày 10 tháng 5, 2019.

Cư dân sống tại Garden Grove có thể làm đẹp cho cộng đồng và cải thiện chất lượng cuộc sống thông qua chương trình adopt-a-tree của Thành phố. Chi phí bao gồm việc trồng cây do người dân lựa chọn và giấy chứng nhận.

Để biết vị trí và các loại cây có thể trồng, liên lạc với Ban Công trình Công cộng ở số (714) 741-5384 hoặc gửi email tại <u>alberte@gqcity.org.</u>

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Sở Cảnh Sát Garden Grove Hiện Đang Nhận Đơn Tuyển Nhân Viên



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#### Sở Cảnh Sát Garden Grove đang tuyển nhân viên

Thích Chia sử Đăng ký để xem những gì bạn bệ của bạn thích.



(Hình cung cấp)

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#### Mới Nhất



Vien Dong Daily front page. Friday, April 5, 2019



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nước California



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sát



Dich chuna truc thăng tránh kẹt xe ở Phi



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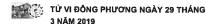
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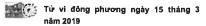


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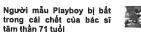
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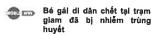


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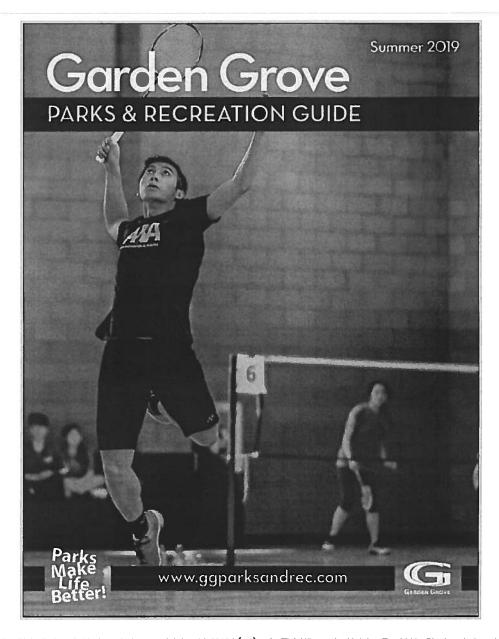
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Thành phố Garden Grove nhận ghi danh cho các lớp học và chương trình học hè 2019 bắt đầu vào Thứ Năm, ngày 11 tháng Tư, 2019. Phụ huynh được khuyến khích ghi danh tham gia càng sớm càng tốt vì nhiều lớp không còn chỗ trống để đăng ký cũng như đảm bảo quyền lợi khi đăng ký sớm. Để đăng ký, hãy truy cập ggparksandrec.com hoặc tại Recreation counter ở tầng 1 bên trong Tòa thị chính Thành phố, tại 11222 Acacia Parkway.

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Các lớp học bơi dựa trên chương trình học bởi của Hội Chữ thập đỏ Hoa Kỳ, được thiết kế để phát triển kỹ năng tương tác xã hội và an toàn cá nhân. Các bài học bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, ngày 6 tháng Năm, 2019, Thứ Hai đến Thứ Năm, từ 4:00 - 6:00 giờ chiều, tại Gary Hail Pool, nằm ở Eastgate Park, tại 12001 St. Mark Street. Đăng ký trực tuyến bắt đầu vào Thứ Tư, ngày 17 tháng Tư, 2019, đến Thứ Sáu, 31 tháng Năm, 2019. Học phí là \$60 mỗi học sinh.

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Các lớp học mùa hè bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, 17 tháng Sáu, 2019 và được cung cấp tại ba hồ bơi địa phương:

- . Hồ bơi Gary Hall, nằm ở Eastgate Park, tại 12001 St. Mark Street
- Hồ bơi Magnolia Park, tọa lạc tại 11402 Magnolia Street
- Woodbury Park Pool, tọa lạc tại 13800 Rosita Place

Học phí mỗi buổi học là \$60/em hoặc \$100 cho một bài học riêng (private lesson). Đăng ký ghi danh sẽ bắt đầu vào Thứ Năm, ngày 2 tháng Năm, 2019.

Chương trình 'Garden Grove Day Camp' dành cho trẻ em từ 5-12 tuổi, chương trình trại hè vui vẻ và an toàn kéo dài 10 tuần lễ bắt đầu vào Thứ Hai, ngày 17 tháng Sáu, 2019. Giờ bắt đầu sinh hoạt tại trại là 7:00 sáng đến 6:00 giờ chiều, từ Thứ Hai đến Thứ Sáu, tại Garden Grove Courtyard Center, nằm trong công viên Village Green Park, tại 12732 Main Street. Phụ huynh đăng ký trước Thứ Ba, ngày 30 tháng Tư, 2019 sẽ được giảm \$5 học phí hàng tuần.

Để biết danh sách đầy đủ các lớp học và chương trình mùa hè, cũng như ngày giờ và học phí, hãy truy cập ggparksandrec.com hoặc gọi cho Ban Phục vụ Cộng đồng ở số (714) 741-5200.

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#### **MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS**

#### **April 11, 2019**

- 1. Calendar of Events
- 2. Minutes from the March 21, 2019 Planning Commission meeting.
- 3. Notice of Cancellation of the April 18, 2019 Planning Commission meeting.
- 4. League of California Cities, "CA Cities Advocate," League Newsletter dated April 10, 2019, and related articles.



#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 11, 2019 - April 30, 2019

Thursday	April 11	9:00 a.m.	Zoning Administrator Meeting City Hall, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Training Room <i>CANCELLED</i>
		6:00 p.m.	Parks, Recreation, and Arts Commission Meeting, Council Chamber
Friday	April 12		City Hall Closed – Regular Friday Closure
Saturday	April 13	8:00 a.m.	Compost Giveaway, Municipal Service Center
Sunday	April 14	3:30 p.m 5:00 p.m.	Low-Cost Pet Clinic Event, Magnolia Park
Wednesday	April 17	10:00 a.m- 12:00 p.m.	H. Louis Lake Senior Center's Spring Celebration, Community Meeting Center, A Room
Thursday	April 18		Coaches Casual Day
		7:00 p.m.	Planning Commission Meeting, Council Chamber CANCELLED
Saturday	April 20	1:00 p.m 4:00 p.m.	Garden Grove's 11 <sup>th</sup> annual Eggscavation, Atlantis Play Center
Tuesday	April 23	5:30 p.m.	Swearing-In Reception for Police Chief Tom DaRe, Community Meeting Center
		6:30 p.m.	Housing Authority, Council Chamber Sanitary District Board, Council Chamber Successor Agency Meeting, Council Chamber City Council Meeting, Council Chamber
Thursday	April 25	9:00 a.m.	Zoning Administrator Meeting City Hall, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Training Room
Thursday – Sunday	April 25-28		One More Productions presents "Nine" The Gem Theater
Friday	April 26		City Hall Closed – Regular Friday Closure
Tuesday	April 30	8:30 a.m.	County Oversight Board Meeting, Rancho Santiago Community College District

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

#### Meeting Minutes Thursday, March 21, 2019

CALL TO ORDER: 7:00 p.m.

#### ROLL CALL:

Chair Lehman
Vice Chair Kanzler
Commissioner Le
Commissioner Nguyen
Commissioner Perez
Commissioner Ramirez
Commissioner Soeffner

Absent: None

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Commissioner Kanzler.

<u>ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLIC:</u> Joseph Dovinh suggested that to avoid Code Enforcement citation confusion, and to benefit neighborhoods, public outreach measures could include a color-code system for different levels of code violations, Vietnamese speaking Code officers, leniency on red tags and citations during cultural holidays, and improved staff explanations of City policies.

#### March 7, 2019 MINUTES:

Action: Received and filed.

Motion: Le Second: Ramirez

Ayes: (7) Kanzler, Le, Lehman, Nguyen, Perez, Ramirez,

Soeffner

Noes: (0) None

PUBLIC HEARING - SITE PLAN NO. SP-048-2018MM1 FOR PROPERTY LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF GARDEN GROVE BOULEVARD, WEST OF BROOKHURST STREET AT 10080 GARDEN GROVE BOULEVARD, AND THE PROPERTY ADJACENT TO THE SOUTH AT 9860 LARSON AVENUE.

Applicant: AMG & ASSOCIATES, LLC

Date: March 21, 2019

Request: Modification to Conditions of Approval, as well as replacement of a mitigation measure in a previously adopted Mitigated Negative Declaration, for an approved 394-unit affordable senior housing project that includes 12,938 square feet of commercial retail space. The site is in the PUD-008-2018 (Planned Unit Development) zone.

Action: Public Hearing held. Speaker(s): Amanda Locke (AMG &

Associates, LLC)

Action: Resolution No. 5953-19 was approved.

Motion: Le Second: Ramirez

Ayes: (7) Kanzler, Le, Lehman, Nguyen, Perez, Ramirez,

Soeffner

Noes: (0) None

<u>STUDY SESSION: CODE ENFORCEMENT REVIEW 2.0:</u> Staff presented a Code Enforcement review of technology upgrades such as the new web application, online submissions, case management software, and short-term rental software, along with an overview of the motel enforcement task force, Tobacco enforcement grant, community outreach, and the increase in staffing.

MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS: Commissioner Ramirez asked for the number of cases complied with voluntarily (without citation). Staff replied approximately 10 percent adding that the updated method was to knock on doors and leave handwritten notices that included information to contact the City if there were questions. Time frames were always established to correct violations within a reasonable time and translators could be provided if needed. Commissioner Perez then asked, with Measure O, had the City Council given direction to hire additional paid or volunteer Code staff? Staff responded that additional staffing did warrant future discussion.

MATTERS FROM STAFF: Staff gave a brief description of the item(s) for the April 4<sup>th</sup> Planning Commission meeting and introduced the new Assistant Planner, Priit Kaskla.

<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> At 8:23 p.m. to the next Meeting of the Garden Grove Planning Commission on Thursday, April 4, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove.

Motion: Kanzler Second: Nguyen

Ayes: (7) Kanzler, Le, Lehman, Nguyen, Perez, Ramirez,

Soeffner

Noes: (0) None

Judith Moore, Recording Secretary



# **NOTICE OF CANCELLATION** OF THE

## **GARDEN GROVE PLANNING COMMISSION**

#### **APRIL 18, 2019**

#### **REGULAR MEETING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Regular Meeting of the Garden Grove Planning Commission scheduled for Thursday, April 18, 2019, 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: April 11, 2019

JEREMY LEHMAN

CHAIR



# **NOTICE OF CANCELLATION**

The Regular Meeting of the

Garden Grove Planning Commission

Scheduled for April 18, 2019

has been cancelled.

JUDITH MOORE SECRETARY

#### **CA Cities Advocate - League Newsletter**

From: Tony Cardenas <tcardenas@cacities.org>

Subject: CA Cities Advocate - League Newsletter

To: Tony Cardenas <tcardenas@cacities.org>

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## League News



League-Opposed AB
1568 (McCarty), Linking
Transportation Funds to
Housing Production,
Pulled from Assembly
Housing Committee,
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Forthcoming

On Friday, April 5, the League learned that AB 1568 (McCarty) will be



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Governments File
Lawsuit to Reverse
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amended to remove provisions that would have withheld a city or county's share of SB 1 transportation funding for non-compliance with the California housing laws. Once formally amended, the League will review its position of the bill.

On behalf of a geographically diverse coalition of local governments, attorneys from Churchwell White LLP filed a lawsuit last week against the California Bureau of Cannabis Control.

currently accepting applications from city officials interested in serving on the League board in one of six at-large board positions or as second vice president.

#### Conferences & Education

# <u>Legislative Action Day Preview Webinar on April 11: Learn about the Top Issues</u> for Cities

Hundreds of city officials will be traveling to Sacramento to lobby their senators and assembly members on bills affecting California cities as part of the League of California Cities April 24 Legislative Action Day.



#### Registration Now Open for Two Mayors and Council Members League Events

The League of California Cities has opened registration for two excellent back-to-back opportunities for mayors and council members of all tenures.

#### Register for the League's SB 2 Planning Grant Program Webinar

The League of California Cities® will be hosting a SB 2 Planning Grant Webinar on Wednesday, April 17 from 1-2:30 p.m. for cities to learn how they can receive funding and technical assistance to update their general plan, community plan, specific plan or local coastal plan.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Webinar: Legislative Action Day Preview

April 24

**Legislative Action Day** 

May 8 - 10

<u>City Attorneys' Spring</u> <u>Conference</u> <u>Mayors and Council Members</u> Executive Forum

June 21

Mayors and Council Members
Advanced Leadership Workshops

#### **Opportunities for Cities**

#### <u>Final Month for CalHFA Mixed-Income Program Applications</u> Deadline to apply is April 30

The deadline is quickly approaching for California Housing Finance Agency's new Mixed-Income Program. With funds gathered as part of SB 2, CalHFA made \$40 million available for this new program.

#### More News & Events

#### 2019 Helen Putnam Awards for Excellence Submissions Due April 11

Each year, the League of California Cities honors outstanding work in member cities throughout the state through the Helen Putnam Awards for Excellence.

#### <u>Upcoming Bills in Committee, April 8 - 24</u>

Legislative hearings are in full swing, and the Legislature continues to discuss policy areas of interest to cities. The Legislature will be on Spring Break as of April 11 and will return on April 22, and the Governor's May Budget Revise is fast approaching.

#### NLC Local Census Preparedness Survey

The National League of Cities is committed to supporting a fair and accurate 2020 Census, which will be underway in less than twelve months.

<u>Cities of San Juan Capistrano, Seaside and Roseville Receive 2019 Local Streets</u> and Roads

The League and the County Engineers Association of California honored winners of the 2019 Outstanding Local Streets and Roads Awards at their annual Public Works Officers Institute held in San Diego last week.







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# Feinstein Bill Devotes Federal Resources to Fight Homelessness

League-supported bi-partisan bill would provide grants to local governments for comprehensive, wraparound services to homeless individuals and families

April 1, 2019

U.S. Sens. Dianne Feinstein (D-Calif.) and Lisa Murkowski (R-Alaska) and Representatives Ted Lieu (D-Calif.) and Steve Stivers (R-Ohio) have introduced the Fighting Homelessness Through Services and Housing Act, a bill to increase federal resources to battle homelessness.

Specifically, the bill authorizes \$750 million in grants annually for the next five years for local governments to combat homelessness.

As a way to address the root causes of homelessness, this legislation for the first time would condition federal funds on a grant recipient's ability to provide not only housing but also comprehensive services like mental health care, substance abuse treatment and job training. Grant recipients would be required to provide 25 percent of project funds and report on measures of success, including whether individuals remain housed.

"Homelessness has reached crisis levels in California and continues to grow nationwide. While our state is a model for the country in so many ways, homelessness is one area where we can and must do better," said Senator Feinstein. "We know the root causes of homelessness vary and can include mental illness, drug addiction and poverty. That's why our bill requires housing to be paired with services to address those root causes. Local governments, particularly those in California, are already taking action to combat homelessness; this bill will help them be even more proactive and effective in their efforts."

"Addressing homelessness is a moral imperative and our approach should always be compassionate and holistic. Reducing homelessness also saves money. In order to break the cycle of homelessness that impacts so many people in Los Angeles and elsewhere, we have to combine housing with social services and programs," said Congress Member Lieu. "Funding a more holistic approach helps improve the health and wellbeing of our most vulnerable, and provides local governments with the resources to address the specific needs of their communities. I'm proud to partner with Senator Feinstein and this bipartisan, bicameral group of Senators and Members who care deeply about addressing homelessness."

#### What the bill does:

- Authorizes \$750 million annually for five years to fund supportive housing models that provide comprehensive services and intensive case management.
- Requires a 25 percent match for services and housing from non-federal funds.
- Allows grants to be used for any combination of operations and capital building costs, as long as housing and services requirements are fulfilled.
- Requires grantees to track outcomes and report on housing stability and improvements in health and wellbeing, including education of children.

#### Grant eligibility and requirements:

- Grants may go to local governmental entities consisting of cities, counties, regional collaboratives and tribal governments.
- Services must address issues including mental health; substance use disorders; disabling or other chronic health conditions; educational and job training/employment outcomes; and life skills classes.
- Intensive case management must be provided with a ratio of no greater than one case manager to every 20 people served.
- When serving families with children, services available must also include children's behavioral and mental health services, early childhood education, regular and age-appropriate children's programming and activities, child health and nutrition screening and education and parenting classes and support programs.
- Services must also have in place protocol for staff training and best practices to identify and prevent child trafficking, abuse, and neglect.

#### Support for the bill

In addition to Sens. Feinstein and Murkowski, the Senate bill is co-sponsored by Sens. Kirsten Gillibrand (D-N.Y.), Amy Klobuchar (D-Minn.), Michael Bennet (D-Colo.), Tina Smith (D-Minn.), Mazie Hirono (D-Hawaii), Catherine Cortez Masto (D-Nev.) and Kamala Harris (D-Calif.).

In addition to Representatives Lieu and Stivers, the House bill is co-sponsored by Representatives Scott Peters (D-Calif.), Lou Correa (D-Calif.), Josh Harder (D-Calif.), Don Young (R-Alaska) and Jim Costa (D-Calif.).

"Homelessness is a national crisis reaching deeper and deeper into every American community — urban, suburban, rural and tribal — and it demands sustained federal investment to help end it. Our coalition of 24 Republican and Democratic mayors represent nearly 17 million residents; our partner CEOs represent companies that reach tens of millions of people in our communities. Together, we proudly support The Fighting Homelessness Through Services and Housing Act and we will fight for its passage into law," said Oakland Mayor Libby Schaaf, the founding mayor of Mayors and CEOs for U.S. Housing Investment, a national coalition of which the League of California Cities is a member.

"California's city officials are facing the homelessness crisis in our communities every day and that's why advocating for federal resources was a top priority for League Officers during their recent trip to Washington, D.C.," said League Executive Director Carolyn Coleman. "Cities in California and across the country cannot tackle an issue of this magnitude alone, so we are pleased to see this bipartisan legislation that will help cities address this issue and will gladly urge support for its passage."

The Fighting Homelessness Through Services and Housing Act is supported by the Mayors and CEOs for U.S. Housing Investment, the mayors of Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Oakland and Sacramento as well as the Child Welfare League of America, Children's Defense Fund, Corporation for Supportive Housing, National Alliance to End Homelessness and the National Low Income Housing Coalition.

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# League-Opposed AB 1568 (McCarty), Linking Transportation Funds to Housing Production, Bill Pulled from Assembly Housing Committee, Amendments Forthcoming

April 8, 2019

On Friday, April 5, the <u>League of California Cities</u> was informed that <u>AB 1568</u> (<u>McCarty</u>) will be amended to remove provisions that would have withheld a city or county's share of <u>SB 1</u> transportation funding for non-compliance with the California housing laws.

The League will review its position of the bill once the bill is formally amended.

The League <u>issued a letter in opposition</u> to the <u>introduced version</u> of the bill, which would have withheld such funds if incremental targets of a city or county's share of regional housing needs for each income category were not produced by 2022 – 2050, inclusive. Given the forthcoming amendments, the bill was pulled from being heard in this week's <u>Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee</u> and will be rescheduled for a hearing later this month.

The League is also part of a coalition that <u>opposed the measure</u> and the concept of linking SB 1 transportation funding to efforts attempting to address California's housing crisis. The League is supportive of efforts to help address the housing crisis here in California. In fact, addressing affordable housing, housing affordability, and homelessness are all part of the League's strategic goals as an organization.[1] However, any delay or diversion of transportation funds from any community in this state is only going to hurt taxpayers that are paying for these improvements they were promised.

It took a decade of advocacy to craft SB 1 as the comprehensive measure to pay for decades of neglect to the state and local transportation systems, supermajority support from both houses of the Legislature[2], a governor's signature, and majority support from the voters to protect the funding on two separate ballot measures.[3][4] While SB 1 represents a massive infusion of transportation dollars that shrinks the statewide shortfall by \$18 billion and will help stabilize conditions to state and local transportation networks, cities and counties still face a \$55 billion shortfall over the next 10 years.[5]

In the same way the <u>League and its coalition partnered with the Legislature and former Administration to address California's transportation crisis</u>, the League is committed to being a partner in finding meaningful solutions to the state's housing crisis.

- [1] League's 2019 Strategic Goals
- [2] SB 1 (Beall, Chapter 5, Statutes of 2017) Vote History
- [3] Proposition 69 (2018) Primary Election Results (pg. 134)
- [4] Proposition 6 (2018) General Election Results (pg. 97)
- [5] 2018 Local Streets & Roads Needs Assessment Executive Summary

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### Upcoming Bills in Committee, April 8 - 24

April 8, 2019

Legislative hearings are in full swing, and the Legislature continues to discuss policy areas of interest to cities.

The Legislature will be on Spring Break as of April 11 and will return on April 22. In addition, April 26 is the last day for policy committees to hear and report to fiscal committees on fiscal bills introduced in their house of origin.

Most hearings will be televised. The <u>Senate</u> and <u>Assembly</u> publish weekly television schedules, and audio is always available online. Many hearings are also webcast via the <u>California Channel</u>.

Below are a number of upcoming hearings of interest to cities:

#### April 8

Assembly Revenue and Taxation, 2:30 p.m., State Capitol. Room 126

AB 266 (Choi) Income taxes: credits: attic vent closures. League position: support.

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

- SB 23 (Wiener) Unlawful entry of a vehicle. League position: support.
- SB 266 (Leyva) Public Employees' Retirement System: disallowed compensation: benefit adjustments. *League position: oppose*.
- SB 287 (Nielsen) Commission on State Mandates: test claims: filing date. League position: support.
- SB 416 (Hueso) Employment: workers' compensation. League position: oppose.

#### April 9

Senate Public Safety, 8:30 a.m., State Capitol. Room 3191

• SB 257 (Nielsen) Firearms: prohibited persons. League position: pending support.

Assembly Health, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 4202

- AB 1116 (Grayson) Firefighters: peer support. League position: pending support.
- AB 1117 (Grayson) Peace officers: peer support. League position: pending support.

Senate Judiciary, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 112

• SB 142 (Wiener) Employees: lactation accommodation. League position: oppose.

Assembly Judiciary, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 126

• AB 628 (Bonta) Employment: victims of sexual harassment: protections. League position: oppose.

#### Senate Governmental Organization, 9:30 a.m., State Capitol, Room 4203

• SB 670 (McGuire) Telecommunications: outages affecting public safety. League position: support.

#### Assembly Business and Professions, 9:30 a.m., State Capitol, Room 437

 AB 1530 (Cooley) Unauthorized cannabis activity reduction grants: local jurisdiction restrictions on cannabis delivery. League position: support.

#### April 10

#### Assembly Appropriations, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 4202

- AB 171 (Gonzalez) Employment: sexual harassment. League position: oppose.
- **HOT** AB 213 (Reyes) Local government finance: property tax revenue allocations: vehicle license fee adjustments. *League position: support*.
- AB 297 (Gallagher) Emergency average daily attendance. League position: support.
- AB 659 (Mullin) Transportation: emerging transportation technologies: California Smart City
   Challenge Grant Program. League position: support.

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

- SB 13 (Wieckowski) Accessory dwelling units. League position: oppose unless amended.
- SB 330 (Skinner) Housing Crisis Act of 2019. League position: Oppose.
- SB 681 (Stern) Local referenda and charter amendments: withdrawal. League position: support.

#### Senate Labor, Public Employment and Retirement, 9:30 a.m., State Capitol, Room 2040

- SB 135 (Jackson) Paid Family leave. League position: oppose.
- SB 542 (Stern) Workers' compensation. League position: oppose.

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

- AB 68 (Ting) Land use: accessory dwelling units. League position: oppose unless amended.
- AB 881 (Bloom) Accessory dwelling units. League position: oppose unless amended.

#### April 22

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

- SB 137 (Dodd) Federal transportation funds: state exchange programs. League position: support.
- SB 205 (Hertzberg) Business licensees: stormwater discharge compliance. League position: concerns.

#### April 23

#### Assembly Judiciary, 8 a.m., State Capitol, Room 437

AB 403 (Kalra) Division of Labor Standards Enforcement: complaint. League position: oppose.

#### Senate Elections and Constitutional Amendments, 9:30 a.m., State Capitol, Room 113

• SB 212 (Allen) Elections: local voting methods. League position: support.

#### Senate Judiciary, 1:30 p.m., State Capitol, Room 112

• SB 518 (Wieckowski) Public records: disclosure: court costs and attorney's fees. *League position:* oppose.

#### April 24

#### Assembly Insurance, 9 a.m., State Capitol, room 437

• AB 1400 (Kamlager-Dove) Workers' compensation: fire service personnel. League position: oppose.

#### Assembly Public Employment and Retirement, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 444

• AB 33 (Bonta) State public retirement systems: divestiture from private prison companies. *League position: oppose.* 

#### Senate Environmental Quality, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 113

• SB 667 (Hueso) Greenhouse gases: recycling infrastructure and facilities. *League position: pending support*.

#### Senate Governance and Finance Special Order, 9 a.m., State Capitol, Room 112

• SB 50 (Wiener) Planning and zoning: housing development: incentives. *League position: oppose unless amended*.

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# California Local Governments File Lawsuit to Reverse Cannabis Delivery Regulations that Undermine Local Control Enacted by Voters Who Passed Proposition 64

25 local governments seek to invalidate a regulation allowing the delivery of commercial cannabis within communities that have regulated or banned deliveries under Proposition 64

April 8, 2019

On behalf of a geographically diverse coalition of local governments, attorneys from Churchwell White LLP filed a lawsuit last week against the California Bureau of Cannabis Control (BCC).

The lawsuit seeks to invalidate recent regulations by the BCC that violate the will of voters and the law by purporting to allow delivery of commercial cannabis statewide even in those communities that have regulated or banned commercial cannabis.

"Californians voted to allow recreational and commercial cannabis with the specific promise that each community would be able to regulate or even ban it within their community," says Walter Allen III, council member for the City of Covina. Allen further stated that, "the BCC's actions in adopting this regulation burden local governments in jurisdictions that have regulated or banned commercial cannabis deliveries."

The 25 local governments initiating the lawsuit against the BCC are, the: County of Santa Cruz, Cities of Agoura Hills, Angels Camp, Arcadia, Atwater, Beverly Hills, Ceres, Clovis, Covina, Dixon, Downey, McFarland, Newman, Oakdale, Palmdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Riverside, San Pablo, Sonora, Tehachapi, Temecula, Tracy, Turlock, and Vacaville (Plaintiffs).

The lawsuit filed in Fresno Superior Court alleges that BCC Regulation 5416(d) is invalid because it eliminates the ability of cities and counties to regulate commercial cannabis deliveries within their communities, a key promise in Proposition 64, which legalized commercial cannabis activities in California. Regulation 5416(d) states that "[a cannabis] delivery employee may deliver to any jurisdiction within the State of California..."

"The BCC is fundamentally changing Proposition 64, eroding local control and harming our local cannabis businesses by allowing commercial cannabis deliveries in every jurisdiction in California. This betrays the promise made to the voters in Proposition 64," says Supervisor Ryan Coonerty, chair of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County, and former mayor of the City of Santa Cruz.

The Plaintiffs assert that the BCC ignored the specific language of Prop. 64, in Business and Professions Code sections 26090 and 26200, guaranteeing cities and counties the right to regulate or prohibit the operation of recreational and commercial cannabis deliveries within their communities. Business and Professions Code section 26200 provides that nothing shall limit the authority of cities and counties to regulate or completely prohibit commercial cannabis activities within their jurisdiction.

Mayor Rick Rodriguez of the City of Downey questions the state agency's decision to enforce Regulation 5416(d). "The BCC is exceeding its authority in adopting a regulation that ignores the right of cities and counties to regulate commercial activity within its borders," says Rodriguez.

"The BCC is creating a new cannabis policy at the voters' expense, placing the public at risk," says Robert Thompson, police chief of the City of Dixon.

"This lawsuit is not pro- or anti- cannabis. We are left with no choice but to challenge these regulations because they violate key provisions of local control promised to voters when they passed Proposition 64," said John Mirisch, mayor of Beverly Hills. "By usurping local ordinances, these regulations interfere with local governments' ability to enact local regulations that may be necessary to protect the public safety and public health."

#### According to the Plaintiffs, the regulations:

- Violate the promise made to voters who passed Proposition 64.
  - In the <u>Legislative Analyst Office official summary</u> that appeared in the ballot pamphlet mailed to all California voters, reads: "Under the measure, cities and counties could regulate nonmedical marijuana businesses. For example, cities and counties could require nonmedical marijuana businesses to obtain local licenses and restrict where they could be located. Cities and counties could also completely ban marijuana-related businesses."
  - In the ballot arguments also sent to all registered voters, Prop. 64 proponents promised voters that Prop "64 preserves local control."
- Remove a central pillar of the local enforcement model of Prop. 64, opening up all communities to cannabis deliveries despite any local ordinances — passed by elected city officials or by local voters – that prohibit or limit commercial cannabis activity; and
- Eliminate any opportunity to implement regulatory local ordinances a community deems necessary to protect public safety and public health.

"By disregarding local governments' reasonable regulatory authority on cannabis deliveries, the BCC has imposed a one-size-fits-all approach to cannabis regulation," said Carolyn Coleman, executive director, League of California Cities. "This regulation does not reflect California's diverse population and wide spectrum of viewpoints on this topic and undermines the foundational promise of Proposition 64 that each city would be able to allow, regulate or prohibit commercial cannabis activities within their community."

Read the full complaint <u>online</u>. For more information about the *County of Santa Cruz et al. v. Bureau of Cannabis Control et al.* litigation, please visit <u>www.simplca.com</u>.

#### About SIMPL

The Safe Implementation of Marijuana Policy for Local Government (SIMPL) is a coalition of California city and county jurisdictions that have come together to ensure that Proposition 64, which legalized commercial cannabis activities in California, is implemented in a manner consistent with the way it was considered, voted on and passed by voters.

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## California Supreme Court Upholds Local Ordinance Regulating Aesthetics of Wireless Facilities

April 10, 2019

Last week, in *T-Mobile West v. City and County of San Francisco*, the California Supreme Court issued an <u>opinion</u> upholding a San Francisco ordinance imposing certain aesthetic standards on wireless facilities within the city.

The plaintiffs in the case, T-Mobile and other telecommunications companies, sued to invalidate San Francisco's ordinance, arguing that it was preempted by one section of the California Public Utilities Code (section 7901) and in violation of another (section 7901.1).

Section 7901 provides that telephone corporations may construct lines and install equipment along public roads in ways and locations that do not "incommode the public use of the road." The plaintiffs argued this language meant that cities could only regulate telephone lines to the extent they might obstruct the path of travel.

The Court disagreed, noting that the city "has inherent local police power" under the California Constitution to determine the appropriate uses of land within its jurisdiction. Therefore, as the Court stated, "the question is not whether the incommode clause can be read to permit the city's exercise of power the ordinance. Rather it is whether section 7901 divests the city of that power."

The Court found that section 7901 did not divest that power for several reasons. For example, the Court noted that section 7901 and the ordinance can operate in harmony because section 7901 says nothing about the aesthetics or appearance of telephone lines. Furthermore, the power to regulate the location and manner of line installation is generally a matter left to local regulation, especially where there are significant local interests – such as aesthetic considerations – that may vary by jurisdiction.

The Court also rejected the plaintiffs' contention that the ordinance violated section 7901.1. Section 7901.1 permits municipalities to control the time, place and manner in which roads are accessed by telephone corporations so long as the control is "applied to all entities in an equivalent manner."

The plaintiffs argued that the ordinance was not equivalently applied to wireless and non-wireless telephone companies, because the aesthetic standards of the ordinance apply only to wireless facilities. The Court rejected this argument, noting that section 7901.1 governs temporary access to public roads only for *initial* construction and installation, not for *ongoing* occupation and maintenance. Since both wireless and non-wireless telephone companies were required to obtain temporary access permits for *initial* construction, and the aesthetic standards applied only to *ongoing* occupation and maintenance, there was no violation of section 7901.1.

The Court's opinion in this case is a positive development for cities, as it decisively reaffirms that cities' local police power generally includes the authority to establish aesthetic land use conditions. Cities should keep in mind, however, that there are limitations on local authority over wireless facilities under both state and federal law. Cities that have questions as to how they may be impacted by this ruling should consult with their city attorney.

The League thanks Jeffrey T. Melching and Ajit Singh Thind of Rutan & Tucker, LLP for authoring the League's friend-of-the-court <u>brief</u> in this case. The California State Association of Counties, the International Municipal Lawyers Association, and the States of California and Nevada Chapter of the National Association of Telecommunications Officers and Advisors also joined in the brief.

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