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City Council Adopts Zero Waste Plan to Divert All Waste by 2040

Last month, the City Council voted to approve an innovative plan that calls for reducing all of the City’s trash to zero by the year 2040.

The plan, called “Zero Waste” lays out a list of strategies that will achieve a 75 percent trash diversion rate by 2020, a 90 percent rate by 2035, and a zero waste by 2040. Our current rate of diversion stands at 67 percent.

Not only is this good for the environment but the plan is also a good deal for San Diego taxpayers.

The Zero Waste plan will help prolong the life of the Miramar Landfill which is nearing capacity. Instead of using taxpayer dollars to build a new landfill, we can instead reduce and reuse.

To reach the 75 percent diversion rate, the City would need to reduce, reuse, and recycle an additional 332,000 tons of waste annually.

This will be done by:

- Diverting fibrous yard trimmings, 18,000 tons a year
- Require franchise haulers to reach a 50 percent diversion rate by 2020, 94,000 tons per year.
- Organics diversion to comply with AB 1826, 120,000 tons per year
- Revisions to the City’s recycling ordinance, 13,000 tons per year
- Creation of a Resource Recovery Center at Miramar Landfill to assist non-franchise haulers to divert much of their material for reuse, 80,000 tons per year

I am very excited to see this plan implemented. As always, I would like to hear your feedback and ideas on how we can improve.

In Service,

Scott Sherman
 Councilmember –District 7

Sherman and Community Volunteers Install New Neighborhood Watch Signs

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<http://www.sandiego.gov/citycouncil/cd7/faq/index.shtml>



Last month, Councilmember Sherman's office held a volunteer event to replace over 70 old and rusted neighborhood watch signs throughout the District 7 community.

Sherman met with volunteers at the Allied Gardens Farmers Market. From there, teams of residents deployed to put up brand new signs.

Councilmember Sherman hopes that the new signs will not only help make neighborhoods safe but also encourage dormant watch programs to be revived.

We still have a few more signs to put up in the area, please contact Liz Saidkhanian at 619-236-6677 or esaidkhanian@sanidiego.gov if you are interested in a sign.

A special thank you to SDPD Lt. Brown and Lt. Swanson for stopping by the event.



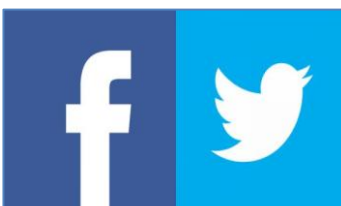
Free Swim Lessons at Linda Vista Recreation Center

Free swim lessons are currently available for Linda Vista children aged three years and over at the Linda Vista Recreation Center.

Registration has already begun and classes are conducted Monday through Friday depending upon registration. Each session provides participants with five 30-minute lessons and class schedules are subject to change.



For more information regarding swim lessons; please contact the Linda Vista Recreation Center at 858-573-1392. The program was sponsored by Councilmember Sherman's office.



First Friday Concert Series Coming to Allied Gardens Community Park

Events Attended by Councilman Sherman

7/6: Streets news conference with Mayor Faulconer

7/8: Met with members of the American Society of Landscape Architects regarding effective methods to conserve water

7/10: Spoke at Second Chance graduation

7/14: News conference to celebrate taxi cab reforms

7/17: 2016 All Star Game logo unveiling

7/17: Neighborhood watch sign volunteer event in Allied Gardens

7/18: Attended Stand Down event to support homeless Veterans.

7/22: Met with Hye Park HOA residents in Serra Mesa

7/22: San Carlos Library Committee Meeting

7/25: Anvil Lake Ave. neighborhood block party

7/30: Mission Trails Regional Park Task Force Meeting



The Allied Gardens – Grantville Community Council in conjunction with Kiwanis and the publishers at the Mission Times Courier have created “AG First Fridays.” A FREE concert series in Allied Gardens Community Park on the first Friday of each month from 6 to 8 pm.

The goals of the concert series are to provide neighbors a venue to congregate, enjoy local musical talent, and celebrate the summer with the community.

“The First Friday Concert Series is a great opportunity to create an even closer knit community for neighbors,” said Councilmember Sherman. “I appreciate all the hard work of the organizers to make this event possible.”

Families are encouraged to picnic at the event and get to know their neighbors; permitting restrictions will not allow items for sale at the concert.

Tierrasanta Lutheran Church Holds Clothing Drive for Military Families



The Tierrasanta Lutheran Church is holding a clothing drive to help Military Families on August 27th at the Church.

Tierrasanta has a large military community and this is a great opportunity for residents to show their support by bringing children’s clothing that their child has outgrown.

If residents are interested in helping at the event or to donate clothes, please contact Jessie Wallace at 619-446-9146 for any questions.

Constituent Issues Resolved in District 7

My top priority at City Hall is to help improve the lives of those I represent and the communities they live in. Below are just a few of the issues that my staff helped resolve in the month of June:

- *Removed dead animal from Ulric St. in Linda Vista*
- *Fixed water valve that was leaking on Calle Meriselda in Tierrasanta*
- *Assisted a resident in Del Cerro with a water department related issue*
- *Cleared a sewer channel in Mission Valley*
- *Reported several pot holes in Allied Gardens*
- *Pothole repairs completed along Boulder Lake Dr. in San Carlos*
- *Repaired basketball hoop at Murray Ridge in San Carlos*
- *Sidewalk damage from a City tree in Serra Mesa*

Do you have an issue or problem in your community? Please contact my office at 619-236-6677 or email at ScottSherman@SanDiego.Gov. We are here to help!

Construction Scheduled on Del Cerro Blvd August 5th Through 19th

As a continuing effort to improve San Diego's infrastructure, SDG&E work crews will be working to improve natural gas pipelines throughout the Del Cerro community.

The project will occur at the intersection of Del Cerro Blvd. and College Ave. and will begin on Aug. 5th. Construction will end two weeks after construction begins.

Due to traffic considerations, the work on the intersection will be taking place at night. The scheduled hours will be from 7:00 pm to 1:00 am.

Sometimes, inconveniences can occur when making progress and improving San Diego's infrastructure. We urge residents to remain patient during improvements.

SDG&E's 24 hour contact number is 1-800-411-7343. The number for the Neighborhood Code Compliance Division's Intake Line between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. is 619-236-5500.

For more information about the project please visit this site: www.sdge.com/key-initiatives/pipeline-safety-enhancement-overview.



Casework Corner

One of my top priorities is improving customer service at City Hall. I believe our government should be using these five simple words more:

"How may I help you?"

Neighborhood Issues
Successfully Resolved in June:

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Upcoming District 7 Events

Linda Vista Farmers Market – Every Thursday in August 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Stop by the Linda Vista Farmers market every Thursday this month to buy delicious, organic, and local fruits and vegetables to feed your family. The Farmers Market is open from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm and is located at the Linda Vista Plaza Shopping Center at 6939 Linda Vista Rd. San Diego, CA 92111.

Free Concert in Mission Valley – August 9th 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm

Siren's Crush, a seven-piece Top 40 dance band, will perform a free concert in Civita's temporary park, on Sunday, August 9, from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to picnic on the grass and enjoy music and vocals made famous by a huge range of artists from Katy Perry to Earth, Wind & Fire. The park is located at the intersection of Civita Boulevard and Via Alta in San Diego's Mission Valley.

Military Appreciation Event for Military Families in SD Unified – August 15th 9:00 am

Military families that live within the San Diego Unified School District are invited to attend a Military Appreciation Event that will include a resource fair, a complimentary BBQ lunch, activities, games, and prizes. The event will be held at Serra High School at 5156 Santo Rd. San Diego, CA 92124. For more information, please visit, www.sandi.net/military.

Free Concerts and Movies in the Park in Mission Valley – August 21st 7:45 pm

To celebrate summer, Civita is hosting free movies and music concerts in the temporary park located at the corner of Civita Blvd. and Via Alta. On August 21st Civita will be showing *Big Hero 6*, provide free popcorn, and tacos for \$1. The movie will start at 7:45pm and is sure to be a good time.

As part of Civita's Sundown Sunday Summer Concert Series on August 9th Siren's Crush will be performing their wide range of classic dance favorites starting at 5:30pm. Don't forget your lawn chairs or blankets and picnic basket!

Friends of Tierrasanta Library Book Sale – August 28th 11:30 am

The Friends of the Tierrasanta Library will be holding a used book sale on the weekend of August 28th to help benefit the Tierrasanta Library. Money raised through the sale will go to purchase new books, replacement books and programs for adults and children. The address of the library is 4985 La Cuenta Dr. San Diego, CA 92124. The event will be held on:

- Friday, August 28th: 11:30am-5:00pm
- Saturday, August 29th: 9:30am-2:45pm
- Sunday, August 31st: 9:30am-5:45pm

Tierrasanta Junior Women's Club 40th Anniversary – September 17th

Tierrasanta Junior Women's Club will be celebrating its 40th anniversary on Sept 17th at the Villa Monterey Clubhouse, 5447 Rebollo Lane. All past and present members are invited. Please contact Joyce Muinos at 858-278-5279.

Sherman in the Community



From Left to Right

- At Stand Down event for Homeless Veterans with Mayor Faulconer

- Discussing plans for a flagship library in District 7 with the San Carlos Library Committee



- Meeting with residents of Hye Park HOA in Serra Mesa

- Celebrating new reforms in the taxi cab industry with City Attorney Goldsmith and Councilmember Emerald



- With baseball officials at the unveiling of the All Star logo for San Diego

- Celebrating the first of 1,000 miles of roads to be paved throughout San Diego

- Showing off a large onion that was grown at the San Carlos Community Gardens

- Awarding outgoing Col. John Farnam with a proclamation

