



# VIVIAN MORENO

SAN DIEGO CITY COUNCIL

## DISTRICT 8 NEWSLETTER

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# GETTING IT DONE



A resident contacted my office to report an oil spill and trash in the alley behind Osborn Street in Shelltown. City of San Diego crews were able to clean this alley promptly before a major storm arrived.

I attended the Border View Family YMCA's College Readiness Program in early February. This program provides students at San Ysidro High School with the tools necessary to prepare them for college. Thank you to San Diego Gas & Electric for helping to sponsor this program!



## DID YOU KNOW?

The official City of San Diego smartphone application, *Get it Done*, allows for residents to seamlessly report neighborhood issues and code violations on the go. Download it today, or access it online at [www.sandiego.gov/get-it-done](http://www.sandiego.gov/get-it-done)



# IN THE COMMUNITY

I held community hours at Ryan Bros in Barrio Logan, and had the pleasure of meeting with many residents and community members. Ryan Bros Coffee is located at 1894 Main Street, San Diego 92113.



My next community hours will be 4:30PM-6:30PM on March 26 at Imperial Grounds Coffee House, located at 2920 Imperial Avenue, San Diego 92102. Please call my office to schedule a meeting time at 619-236-6688.



My staff talked to residents in San Ysidro and provided assistance for City related issues. The District 8 team will be canvassing neighborhoods throughout the district each week, rain or shine, morning and afternoon.

To report any City-related issues, please call my office at (619) 236-6688 or email [VivianMoreno@SanDiego.gov](mailto:VivianMoreno@SanDiego.gov)



# COUNCIL



The City's ban on Styrofoam went into effect on February 23. This ordinance will be rolled out in phases, with the first phase prohibiting items made from polystyrene foam at City facilities.

The next phase, scheduled to begin May 24, will prohibit Styrofoam in egg cartons and food service ware from being sold or distributed within City limits. Businesses with a gross annual income of less than \$500,000 can apply for exemption until February 23, 2020.

The exemption form can be found at [www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/polystyrene\\_waiver\\_form.pdf](http://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/polystyrene_waiver_form.pdf)

The San Diego City Council authorized the Mayor to establish a Joint Powers Authority that would implement and operate a Community Choice Energy (CCE) program for the City. This agency will aim to lower electricity costs for ratepayers and provide residents with a choice on the source of their energy. It will also keep the City on track to meet its goal of 100 percent renewable energy by 2035.



## ADJOURNMENT IN MEMORY

On February 25, 2019, I requested the City Council meeting adjourn in memory of Mr. Armando Rodriguez.

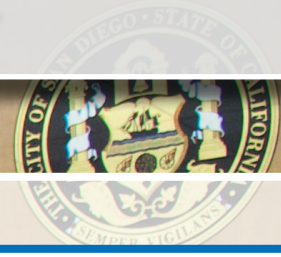
Mr. Rodriguez was born in Mexico, and moved to San Diego at a young age. He joined the U.S. Army and served as a cryptographer during WWII. Mr. Rodriguez received a Masters Degree from San Diego State College (now SDSU), and became the first Latino principal at the San Diego Unified School District. He became a leader in the Mexican-American civil rights movement, and served in the administrations of President Johnson, Nixon, Carter and Reagan. Mr. Rodriguez was a pioneer and educator who helped pave the way for many Latinos.

A funeral mass is scheduled for March 5 at 11AM at Our Lady of Guadalupe in Logan Heights, the church where he served as an altar boy.





# COMMITTEE



The Land Use and Housing (LU&H) Committee discussed updating the City's parking requirements for housing units in Transit Priority Areas (TPAs). Proposed regulations included a zero parking minimum citywide within TPAs, unbundled parking for parking provided on-site and improved transportation amenities.

The LU&H Committee meets one Wednesday per month in the Committee room on the 12th floor of City Hall. The next meeting will be March 6 at 1PM.

The Active Transportation and Infrastructure (AT&I) Committee unanimously voted to forward a set of regulations on dockless electric scooters and bicycles to the full council. Regulations include no-parking zones near hospitals, schools and beach boardwalks, as well as a maximum speed of 8mph in high traffic areas.

The AT&I Committee meets one to two Wednesdays per month in the Committee room on the 12th floor of City Hall. The next meeting will be March 20 at 2PM.



For more information on Committee agenda and actions, go to [www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/councilcomm](http://www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/councilcomm)



# MEET THE STAFF



**Christopher Gris**  
Council Representative  
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Christopher was raised in south San Diego and graduated from SDSU in 2017 with a degree in Political Science. Christopher's priorities include environmental justice, social equality and most importantly, serving the residents of District 8.

## Christopher's Responsibilities:

- San Ysidro
- Binational Relations
- Community Projects, Programs & Services (CPPS)



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# COUNCILMEMBER MORENO IN OUR COMMUNITY

	Date	Event	Time & Location
March	2	I Love a Clean San Ysidro Community Cleanup	9AM - 663 E. San Ysidro Blvd
	5	Environmental Health Community Forum	6PM - 567 S. 28th St, 92113
	9	South Bay Little League Grand Opening	10AM - 2390 Sunset Ave
	13	Immigrant Rights Community Conversation	6PM - 1625 Newton Ave
	20	San Ysidro Brazilian Carnaval	5:30PM - 125 E. Park Ave
	26	Community Office Hours	4:30PM - 2920 Imperial Ave
April	10	Community Conversation	6PM - 29 32nd St, 92102
	13	Memorial Community Cleanup	9AM - Memorial Park
	14	Day of the Child	10AM - 3020 Coronado Ave
	20	Montgomery Waller Egg Hunt	10AM - 3020 Coronado Ave
	25	Community Office Hours	4:30PM - TBD (Otay Mesa)

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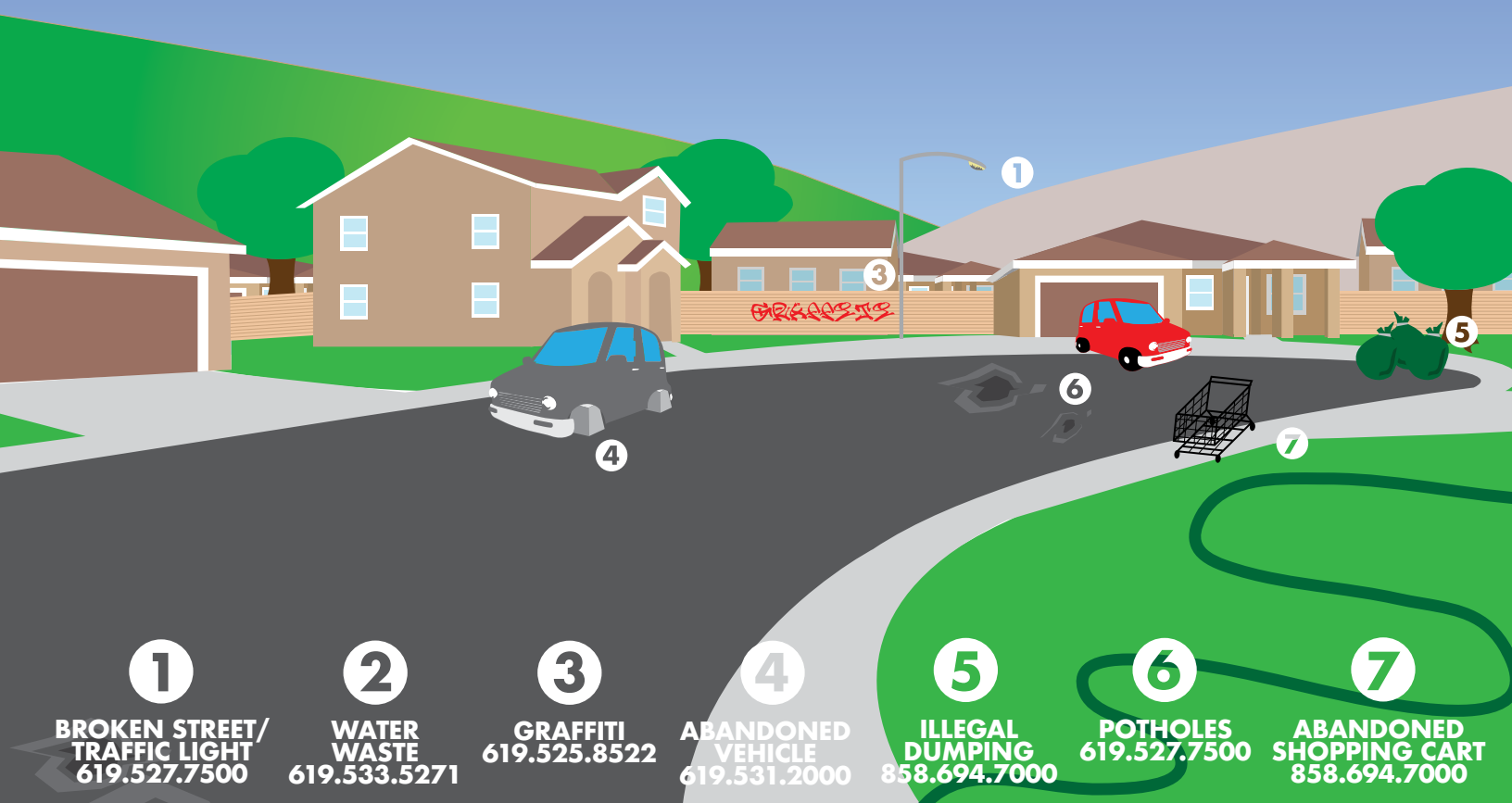




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## WHO SHOULD YOU CALL?



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**BROKEN STREET/  
TRAFFIC LIGHT**  
619.527.7500

2

**WATER  
WASTE**  
619.533.5271

3

**GRAFFITI**  
619.525.8522

4

**ABANDONED  
VEHICLE**  
619.531.2000

5

**ILLEGAL  
DUMPING**  
858.694.7000

6

**POTHoles**  
619.527.7500

7

**ABANDONED  
SHOPPING CART**  
858.694.7000

or call Councilmember Vivian Moreno 619.236.6688

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