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**DISTRICT FOUR**

CITY OF SAN DIEGO

**AUGUST 12, 2009 WEEKLY UPDATE**



*Councilman Young proudly presents a commendation to Justice Overcoming Boundaries as they host the 2009 Fiesta del SOL and joins event volunteers and performers at the two-day street festival.*

***Join me in SUPPORTING OUR YOUTH!***

**New ERAA Back to School  
Conference, Rally for Education & Festival  
Saturday, August 22, 2009**

Lincoln Senior High School  
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

- Registration begins at 7:30 am with a complimentary continental breakfast.
- Free workshops for parents to learn how to guide your child to be a more successful student.
- Community Festival where free backpack filled with school supplies will be given out!

I am pleased to join Pazzaz and the Center for Parent Involvement in Education for this annual event dedicated to achieving academic excellence in our youth and promoting strong parental involvement in helping achieve this goal. I look forward to seeing you on the 22<sup>nd</sup>!



## YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW

**Congratulations to Judge Napoleon Jones** as he was bestowed the Lifetime Achievement Award from the National Bar Association (NBA) last week. Judge Jones received this prestigious award from the NBA, the oldest and largest association for African-American lawyers and judges at their 84<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention held in our great City of San Diego. More than 500 attendees representing the legal profession from across the Nation showed their support for Judge Jones at the Judicial Luncheon where he received the Award. I know you join me in congratulating Judge Jones, an icon amongst San Diego's judicial and legal community.

**Have a question about City of San Diego services and program? JUST CALL (619) 615-6111.** *Just Call* is an automated citizen information system designed to provide you with pre-recorded answers to the most frequently asked questions on City services and programs. You can call 24 hours a day, seven days a week and get information on a variety of topics including: graffiti control, potholes, water/sewer billing and trees on City property. ***Need to talk to someone in person?*** You can call the City Information Center at (619) 236-5555 from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday, except legal holidays.

**San Diego LISC is pleased to announce the availability of the 2009 NFL Youth Football Fund Grassroots Program Request for Proposals (RFP).** This program provides non-profit, neighborhood-based organizations with financial and technical assistance to improve the quality, safety, and accessibility of local football fields; up to \$200,000 for capital improvement projects are granted. Morse High School is a past recipient of this generous program. To download the RFP, please visit: [www.lisc.org/san\\_diego](http://www.lisc.org/san_diego). ***Submissions are due to National LISC by October 30, 2009.*** For more information and technical assistance, please contact Jana Zawadski in the San Diego LISC office at (619) 239-6691 x4 or email [jzawadzki@lisc.org](mailto:jzawadzki@lisc.org).

**Come participate in the Chollas Lake Walk the Park Clean Up on August 15, 2009 at 9:00 a.m.** All supplies for the clean-up will be provided. Please wear comfortable shoes and bring your own drinking water in a re-useable bottle. Chollas Lake is located on College Grove Drive off the Martin Luther King/94 freeway, west of the College Grove Shopping Center. For more information please contact Braulio at (619) 708-6222 or Michelle at (619) 829-8837.



**Youth On The Move Banquet presented by the San Diego Youth Action Board (SDYAB) will be held August 15, 2009** from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. SDYAB will be presenting students from throughout the 4th District with scholarships and awards for the commendable strides that they have made in the community as well as individuals and organizations who will be recognized for their continued support for our youth. For more information email: [info@sandiegoyab.org](mailto:info@sandiegoyab.org).

**Bethel Baptist Church is hosting their Annual Outreach Summer Festival & Health Fair on Saturday, August 15, 2009 from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.** in the church parking lot located at 1962 N. Euclid Avenue. For more information, contact the church office at (619) 266-2411 or visit [www.bethelbc.com](http://www.bethelbc.com)

**Samoan Festival at Market Creek Plaza on Saturday, August 15, 2009** from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Enjoy Samoan games, cultural competitions, live music, dance, a fashion show and kids zone. Market Creek Plaza is located at 310 Euclid Avenue. For more information call (619) 527-6161.

**Counting all Californians in 2010 – a kickoff event for the upcoming 2010 census will be held on August 19, 2009** from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. at the Joe and Vi Jacobs Center (404 Euclid Avenue.) The Office of the Governor in conjunction with the San Diego Regional U.S. Census Office invites you to learn about the Complete Count for our community. For more information email: [rborboa5@cox.net](mailto:rborboa5@cox.net).

**Summer Fun at Market Creek Plaza!** Each Friday through August 30<sup>th</sup> is *Family Movie Night*. Pre-show activities begin at 7:00 p.m. and movies begin at dusk. You can also help feed our community by bringing a non-perishable food item. Sundays are *Gospel Concerts Day*. Enjoy live inspirational music from 3:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Spend a relaxing afternoon of faith and fun featuring local community choirs and gospel artists.

**New Senior Shuttle Service in the Fourth District Provides Point-To-Point Transportation Services** provided by All Congregations Together (ACT). Fourth District community members age 55 and over will have access to the pilot shuttle service that runs Monday thru Friday from 6:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.; weekend service available only through special request. Points of service in the district are:

- Fourth District Senior Resource Center, 570 S. 65th St.
- St. Stephens Retirement Center Tenant Association, 5625 Imperial Ave.
- Jean C. McKinney Manor, 5641 Imperial Ave.

The cost is \$4 per person, each way. There will be designated youth riders to help assist seniors with their shopping trips, doctor's visits and other needs. For more information call 619-527-6315



### **Read to Succeed Book Club and Writing Workshop with Ms. B. Renee Williams.**

This program is designed to help children ages 12-16 learn skills and experience the joys of reading. Benefits include tips to pass high school exams, write competitive college application essays and more. All supplies are free and will be held at the Coalition for Neighborhood Councils Offices (415 Euclid Avenue). For more information please call (619) 325-3580.

### **The Old Globe Technical Center in District Four is offering paid internships.**

The Old Globe is seeking applicants for paid internships in the Scenic Department for the end of the summer and fall. Internships are designed as an introduction to theatrical carpentry and scenic arts for residents in southeastern San Diego. Applicants must be: residents of southeastern San Diego; high school graduates or equivalent; have interest and experience in carpentry, painting or metalworking; and have an interest in theatre. Applicants must also be available to work 28-40 hours per week, Monday through Friday beginning at 8:00 a.m. each day for a 10-week commitment. For more information email: HR@TheOldGlobe.org.

## **BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:**

An opportunity for you to volunteer your services exists with the many City of San Diego Boards and Commissions. Please visit the City's web site at [www.sandiego.gov](http://www.sandiego.gov) and view the many boards and commissions available for you to possibly serve on. You will find that several members' terms are expiring, who is responsible for nominating and appointing members, and what the terms and requirements for service are. Please call Benelia Santos-Hunter at 236-6644 if you are interested in serving as a 4<sup>th</sup> District representative on a particular Board and/or Commission. Councilman Young is seeking qualified individuals to nominate for service on the following Boards and/or Commissions. Nominations will be submitted to the Mayor's office for consideration. The following are current vacancies where immediate appointments are being sought:

**Board of Building Appeals and Advisors:** Seeking Mechanical Engineer and At-Large Candidate.

**Community Forest Advisory Board:** Seeking Council District 8 Representative and At-Large Candidate.

**Housing Advisory & Appeals Board:** Seeking candidates who are qualified by training and experience to review and advise on matters pertaining to the safety and adequacy of housing. Note: Candidates with professional background or expertise in construction, development, real estate, or builder industry would be suitable.



**Independent Rates Oversight Committee:** Seeking Temporary Irrigation Construction Customer (ratepayer classification) which means that the candidate has or works for a company that has a permit (ongoing) with the City for a Fire Hydrant Meter Account.

**La Jolla Shores Planned District Advisory Board:** Seeking Resident Property Owner in the La Jolla Shores Planned District AND shall be qualified by reason of interest, training, or experience in art, architecture, land development, landscape, architecture, planning, urban design, or other relevant business or profession.

**Library Commission:** Seeking At-Large Candidate interested in assisting on policy matters related to the development and operation of the City's library system.

**Park & Recreation Board:** Seeking At-Large Candidate to advise on policy matters related to the acquisition, development, maintenance, and operation of City parks, beaches, recreation properties and facilities.

**Parking Advisory Board:** Seeking a District 4 Representative and a District 8 Representative.

**Relocation Appeals Board:** Seeking candidates that are qualified by reason of training and experience in real estate, human relations, housing, urban development, redevelopment or other business or profession.

**Senior Affairs Advisory Board:** Seeking At-Large Senior over the age of 60.

**Southeastern Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors:** Seeking candidate to serve on Board responsible for making recommendations concerning redevelopment plans and project areas, and promoting economic development and revitalization in the Southeast San Diego area.

**Wetlands Advisory Board:** Seeking Wetlands Scientist, a candidate that represents land owners/Land Use Attorney, a candidate with expertise in vernal pools and a candidate with expertise in riparian freshwater habitat.

**Community Clean-ups are continuing to be held throughout the 4th District.**

I commend, thank, and congratulate the many community volunteers, city staff, non-profit organizations and EDCO Waste & Recycling Services that assist in these efforts. Keeping our communities clean and free of debris is an ongoing effort we all must continue to be involved in. Special community cleanup event areas are selected based upon citizen requests, pledges of community involvement and previous citizen participation levels. Please feel free to call Solid Waste Code Enforcement Officer Alejandro Alvarado at (858) 627-3317 if you would like to request a clean-up in your area and/or if you have questions.

**On August 6, 2009, the community of Mt. Hope held a mini community cleanup.** This successful cleanup removed a total of 9.46 tons of waste that consisted of 8.68 tons of non-recyclables and .78 tons of recyclables consisting of metals and appliances. I would like to commend Mr. Jack Scarry of Mt. Hope along with Solid Waste Code Enforcement Officer Gavin Broatch for their assistance and support. For more information about this cleanup, contact Officer Broatch at (858) 573-1260.

**COMMUNITY MEETINGS:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Community Meeting</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Staff</b>
August 13	Skyline Hills Community Association	7:00 p.m.	Morse High School 6905 Skyline Drive	Jimmie Slack
August 19	Mountain View Community Meeting	6:00 p.m.	Mt. View Park 641 S. Boundary St	Venus Molina
August 19	Paradise Hills Village Council	6:30 p.m.	St. Timothy Church Corner of Rancho Hills and Reo Dr.	Liezl Mangonon
August 20	Martin Luther King Rec. Council	12:00 p.m.	MLK Rec. Center 6401 Skyline Drive	Roosevelt Williams III
August 20	Lomita Village Town Council	6:00 p.m.	Skyline Park Rec. Center 8285 Skyline Drive	Venus Molina



## **SAVE THIS DATE:**

**The San Diego County District Attorney's Office and The Lincoln High School – San Diego DA Youth Advisory Board will proudly premiere the film: 4 or 40: The Choice is Yours on Thursday, August 27, 2009** from 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at The Theater at Lincoln High School. This film was created, produced and directed by the students of Lincoln High School encouraging youths to make better life choices in tough situations. Please RSVP by August 20, 2009 to Charles Nguyen at (619) 531-4355 or [charles.nguyen@sdcada.org](mailto:charles.nguyen@sdcada.org).

**Help stop crime in our community: Join Southeastern Neighborhood Prosecutor Haley Shumaker at a Planning Meeting on September 2, 2009** at 4:00 p.m. at the Southeastern Division station (7222 Skyline Drive). NP Shumaker is seeking assistance with the distribution of community surveys regarding crimes and misdemeanors that occur in the Southeastern Division area. The survey is a component of a needs assessment regarding quality of life misdemeanor crime occurring in SDPD's Southeastern Division. Examples of these crimes include public intoxication, transient crimes, low-level drug cases and graffiti/vandalism. The survey will be distributed at community meetings and events and will be available at locations throughout the community. If you are interested in assisting or need more information, please contact NP Shumaker at (619) 533-4789 or [hshumaker@sandiego.gov](mailto:hshumaker@sandiego.gov).

**The City Council will be in recess for the summer.  
The next regularly scheduled meeting of the San Diego City Council will be  
Monday, August 31, 2009.  
*Continue having a great and safe summer!***

**THANK YOU...**for reading my E-mail Message for the Week. If you would like to receive this E-mail on a regular basis or be removed from the mailing list, please e-mail me at [anthonyyoung@sandiego.gov](mailto:anthonyyoung@sandiego.gov).

