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 DISTRICT FOUR

CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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Better than honor and glory, and History's iron pen,
 Was the thought of duty done and the love of his fellow-men.
 ~Richard Watson Gilder

Councilman Young salutes our military, past and present as we
 celebrate Memorial Day.

COUNCIL ACTIONS:

City Council will be on Legislative Recess from Tuesday, June 1 thru Friday, June 11, 2010.

The City of San Diego will be closed on Monday, May 31, 2010 in observance of Memorial Day.

YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW:

Please join the 4th District at the *Older Americans' Luncheon at the Seniors Resource Center to celebrate Older Americans Month. The celebration will be held on Thursday May 27, 2010* from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the George Stevens Senior Community Center, located at 570 S. 65th Street, San Diego. For more information, please call (619) 266-2066.

Foreclosure Prevention Clinic will be held on May 29, 2010 from 11:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Black Contractors Association (6125 Imperial Ave.) This event is FREE of cost, and will provide home owners with the opportunity to meet with housing counselors on-site, and will offer FREE face to-face consultations. A "New Hope" initiative and Making Home Affordable plan is a FREE service that will be offered as well. For more information please call 1-888-622-8429 or visit www.Mabuhay.org.

The San Diego Unified School District Office of College, Career & Technical Education is offering another *Hire-a-Youth Summer Internship Program* this summer. The goal of the program is to provide approximately 230 students, ages 16-20, with a paid summer internship experience. Students will gain a “real world” work experience, which will allow them to become a productive member of a business, develop skills, and set career goals while earning money. Students must be available to work 6-7 hours daily, Monday- Friday, from June 28 to August 13, 2010. Students must also be available to attend Work Readiness Training Workshops held after school from 3:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m., Monday –Friday, from June 14- 24, 2010. Hire-a Youth is now accepting applications, so students are encouraged to turn one in as soon as possible. Do not let this great opportunity go by! Students who are interested should contact Ashley Nall at (858) 503-1751 or anal@sandi.net.

The 1st Annual 4th and 8th Districts’ *Who’s Who Student Choice Awards Essay Contest.* The Essay Contest’s goals are to celebrate the teachers in our community and identify some of the best and promising practices they utilize in the classroom. Students in grades 3rd- 12th are encouraged to participate. The deadline for essays is June 11, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. Students will be awarded \$100 for the top ten essays, and winners will be announced June 18, 2010. For more information, call (619)262-8200 or email any questions to blkunited@yahoo.com.

Los Bilingual Writers *Anthology Book IV*, will be released at the *Living Courage/ Vidas de Valor Literary Event* held Friday, June 11, 2010 from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the Tubman Chavez Multicultural Center, (415 Euclid Ave). This great event celebrates both the Latino and African American Communities and citizens who have shared their unique stories, written by a dynamic group of writers from age eight and up. For more information, please call (619)384-7144, or email any questions to losbilingualwriters@cox.net.

ACCION San Diego and the Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation is presenting a FREE workshop for small business owners called *Social Media for Small Business* on Saturday, June 12, 2010, from 10:00 a.m. until noon at the Joe and Vi Jacobs Center (404 Euclid Ave). To RSVP and for more information, please call (619) 795-7250, ext 409.

Come and join District 4 in a *Juneteenth Celebration and The John Brockington Foundation’s 3rd KIN Brunch* on June 19, 2010. These events will be from 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. The celebration will include an “Honor Our Elders” segment, honoring residents who have been living in District 4 for over 25 years. The celebration will include brunch sponsored by the John Brockington Foundation, free health screenings, a community health walk to the Festival grounds, an African inspired fashion show and gospel entertainment. For more information, please call the John Brockington Foundation at (619) 299- 4426, or visit the website at www.johnbrockingtonfoundation.org.

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

I commend, thank, and congratulate the many community volunteers, the exceptional staff of the Environmental Services Department (ESD), 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 May 8, 2010, EDS along with the Jamacha Community Council conducted a community cleanup in the Jamacha area. This successful cleanup removed a total of 16.65 tons of waste of which 12.34 tons of non- recyclables, and 4.31 tons of recyclables consisting of metals and appliances from the neighborhood was collected. I would like to commend the Jamacha Community Council for the support and assistance with these cleanup efforts. For more information about this event, please call (858) 627- 3314.

The Men of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., Lamda Iota Sigma Chapter of San Diego presents the 1st Annual Honor Thy Father Awards Celebration Breakfast on Saturday, June 19, 2010 at the Sheraton Hotel Mission Valley (1433 Camino Del Rio South). Doors will open at 8:30 a.m., and the event will begin at 9:00 a.m. For more information, please contact Alvin Blackshear at (718) 810- 1400, or visit www.lambdaiotasigma.org.

Mountain View Sports & Racquet Club in District 4 will be offering a Summer Tennis Camp, June 22 thru August 12, 2010. The camp will be held on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. (6401 Skyline Drive) Your child will develop basic tennis skills, learn the fundamentals of tennis and the rules of the game. The camp costs \$48.00, and it is an eight-week session. For more information please contact Jaquetta Devoe at (619) 475-3406.

Come out and enjoy Family Tennis Day on Saturday, June 26, 2010 from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00p.m. The event will be held at Mountain View Sports & Racquet Club. This event is free for anyone who wants to attend. Come out for some tennis fun for the whole family. There will be on court clinics for adults and kids, plenty of snacks and more. A FREE follow-up tennis class will be offered for beginners wanting to learn more about basic tennis skills. For more information please call (619) 263-9224.



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 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 4th 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.

COMMUNITY MEETINGS:

Meeting Date	Community Meeting (District 4 Staff)	Meeting Time	Meeting Location
Wednesday May 26	Encanto Community/ Recreation Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:30 p.m.	Encanto Recreation Center 6508 Wunderlin
Thursday	Alta Vista Community Council	6:30 p.m.	Nye Elementary
Thursday	Broadway Heights Community Council	7:00 p.m.	TBA
Tuesday	Jamacha Neighborhood Council	6:00 p.m.	Church of Christ
Wednesday	Webster Heights CDC	7:00 p.m.	San Diego National Bank
Thursday June 3	Paradise Hills Recreation Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:00 p.m.	Paradise Hills Recreation Center 6610 Potomac Street
Thursday June 3	Valencia Park Town Council (Bruce Williams)	6:30 p.m.	Valencia Park Elementary School 5880 Skyline Drive
Thursday	Mount Hope Community Meeting	6:30 p.m.	Macedonia Baptist Church
Thursday	Oak Park Community Council	7:00 p.m.	Oak Park Elementary, Auditorium

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