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CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON BUDGET AND FINANCE
DISTRICT FOUR

AUGUST 4, 2010 WEEKLY UPDATE

FREE FINANCIAL RESOURCES OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

FREE ADMISSION

SmartMoney
SUMMIT 2010

"Your Ticket to Financial Recovery"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2010 • 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
JACOB'S Center - 404 Euclid Ave.

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Ron Roberts County Supervisor

Tony Young Councilman City of San Diego

RSVP Today for a chance to win a FREE Raffle prize.
To RSVP Call (619) 578-7538 or Email: RTF@SDHC.ORG
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Mark your calendars now to join Councilman Young and Supervisor Roberts at Smart Money Summit 2010 and start your road to financial stability and independence!

Join Councilman Tony Young & County Supervisor Ron Roberts
Co-Chairs, San Diego City-County Reinvestment Task Force
at the

SMART MONEY SUMMIT 2010 & EXPO

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San Diego, CA 92114

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Smart Money Summit & Expo – “Your Ticket to Financial Recovery” is a one-day/one-stop event that you cannot afford to miss! The value of the content presented at the Expo will be well invested time. All the tools and resources you will leave with are at no cost.

Everyone is welcomed – Open to the Public for FREE.



Free workshops that will be provided include:

- Financial Literacy
- First-Time home buyer assistance programs
- Home Retention/Foreclosure Prevention
- Asset Building Programs
- College Preparation & College Grants Info
- Free Tax Preparation Resources (EITC Tax credits)
- Workforce Development – Job Preparation Info
- Youth Programs & more resources

Besides all the FREE resources, tips, guides and ideas you will leave with, there will be fun activities for the kids including face painting and fun games along with surprise guests.

YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW:

Search for new SEDC President underway!

The Roberts Consulting Group has been hired to conduct the search for a person to serve as President of the Southeastern Economic Development Corporation (SEDC). **To apply for this position please send resumes by August 13, 2010 to Roberts Consulting Group Inc. at robertsrcg@msn.com and/or call (818) 783-7752 or fax (818) 783-6377.**

Get a head start on your child's education!

***New ERAA 2010 Back to School Conference, Rally for Education and Festival:
"Everybody Recommitting to Academic Achievement"***

Saturday, August 21, 2010

Lincoln High School

4777 Imperial Ave.

7:00 a.m.—Registration

8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.—Conference

1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.—Festival

There will be FREE workshops for parents and students K-12, exhibitors, food, giveaways, entertainment and fun. A continental breakfast and lunch will also be provided, as well as childcare for the conference only; child must be ages 3-5 and potty trained. You can register online at www.pazzaz.org. For more information contact PAZZAZ at (619) 264- 6870 or email info@pazzaz.org.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for the Chollas Creek and Community Clean-Up Day on Saturday, August 7, 2010 from 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon. Meet at 9:00 a.m. sharp at the UAAMAC office located at 4981 Market Street. Free t-shirts to the first 50 volunteers, lunch and refreshments. For more information, call (619) 517-2433.

Faith Chapel and St. Paul United Methodist Church proudly present their 4th Annual Community Barbeque and Health Fair on Saturday, August 7, 2010 from 11:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at Kennedy Park (4801 Ocean View Blvd). There will be FREE food as well testing for HIV, blood pressure, diabetes, heart disease and cholesterol. Certain needs of the community will be addressed, such as domestic violence, family, and social problems. For more information please call Ms. Debbie Brown at (619) 990-2923, or you may visit www.faithchapelsd.com.

Come and join us for the Samoan Festival at Market Creek Plaza on Saturday, August 14, 2010. The event will feature: Samoan games, cultural competitions, live music, dance, a fashion show, and a kid's zone. Admission is FREE. For more information call (619) 527-6161.

San Diego Repertory Theatre, in partnership with the San Diego School of Creative and Performing Arts (SDSCPA), presents *Hairspray the Broadway Musical*, at the Lyceum Theatre at Horton Plaza, on now until August 15, 2010. To purchase tickets, please visit www.sdrep.org or call (619) 544-1000.

The Malcolm X Library (5148 Market St) presents a Young Adult Film Series featuring *An Evening of Anime*. A movie titled *Spirited Away* (PG) will be showing on **August 25, 2010** at 5:30 p.m. The movie is about a 10 year old girl, trapped in a strange world.

The United African American Ministerial Action Council (UAAMAC) will host a Town Hall Meeting: *Judicial Reform, Accountability, Responsibility and Rehabilitation through the Judicial System on Thursday, August 26, 2010* beginning at 6:00 p.m. at St. Stephens Cathedral (COGIC) (5825 Imperial Ave.). All of those who have loved ones affected by Probation and members of the community are encouraged to attend. For more information or to register for the Town Hall Meeting, please contact Robert Robinson at (619) 264-1213.

The Black American Political Association of California San Diego Chapter presents "*A Marvelous New Movement Taking Shape in the Great Golden State*" will be held on Friday, August 27, 2010 at the Marriott Hotel in Mission Valley (8757 Rio San Diego Drive). This year's conference theme is: Focusing on the economic plight of the Black Communities of San Diego, Los Angeles, Inland Empire, and Imperial Counties. The conference will be held from August 27, 2010 until August 29, 2010, at The Marriot Hotel on Mission Valley (8757 Rio San Diego Drive).

Come and join us for a Summer Series, *Celebrating Families* at Market Creek Plaza, going on now through August 29, 2010. Market Creek Plaza is located at 310 Euclid Ave. Friday nights are movie nights for the entire family (starting at dusk), and pre show activities begin at 7:00 p.m. On Sundays, there will be a variety of gospel concerts and live inspirational music by local community choirs and gospel artists from 3:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. For more information please call (619) 527- 6161.

Community Actors Theatre proudly presents two wonderful plays running back to back as one show (two for one), running now until August 29, 2010, Friday and Saturday at 8:00 p.m., and Sunday, matinee at 3:00 p.m. The play "Here I Am" is about seven remarkable women from classic literature and history on stage together, for an evening of revealing conversation, revelation, and confirmation, of their contribution to the eras in which they lived. "The Pact" is a play on love and romance, and also addresses the Jewish tradition and the importance of education through each generation. Community Actors Theatre is located at 2957 54th Street. To reserve seats please call 619-264 - 3391 or visit www.communityactorstheatre.com.

The Evangeline Roberts Institute of Learning Charter School (located at 6785 Imperial Ave) will now be enrolling students from Kindergarten through the second grade. Students enrolled will also receive a FREE Boys and Girls Club Membership which includes before and after school care. For more information please contact Jean Byrd at (619) 972- 6048.

HOMEOWNERS! Councilman Tony Young's Neighborhood Fight Against Crime in conjunction with CDBG and HUD has funded a project in which you may qualify for inspection and installation of security devices such as: security screen doors, motion sensor lights, wide angle viewers, minor repairs, deadbolt locks, dusk to dawn lights, sliding door locks, window locks, fire extinguishers, and carbon monoxide/ smoke detectors, FREE OF CHARGE. All interested homeowners living in the 4th council district should contact Charles Espinoza with the San Diego-Imperial Counties Labor Council, Monday thru Friday from 9:00a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at (619) 283- 5411 ext. 109.

Alliance for Community Empowerment (ACE) presents Gang Awareness for Parents by John Echeverria. The event will be held at Jackie Robinson YMCA (151 YMCA Way) every Tuesday from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m., as well as at the UPAC Office (5348 University Ave, Suite 120), every Thursday from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Parents can come and learn strategies and tools to better parent their child(ren), and keep them away from gangs and drugs. There is no cost to attend, and topics change weekly. There will be two locations for this event. Please call (800) 223-9458 for registration.

Come and join the San Diego Futures Foundation for a FREE computer training, certification, and job placement program. Certification options include A+, desktop support technician, and Microsoft Office specialist. Applicants must be 18 years of age or older and meet federal low-income guidelines. To apply, visit <http://www.abletowork.org/tbl/signup.pwr>. For more information, please contact Tracie Umbreit at (619) 269-1684 (ext 204) or tracie@sdfutures.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 July 27, 2010, a mini community clean-up was held in the Chollas View area.

This successful clean-up removed a total of 4.11 tons of waste (of which 3.65 tons of non-recyclables and .46 tons of recycles consisting of metals and appliances) was collected from the neighborhood. A special thanks to the Chollas View Neighborhood Council and the staff at ESD for their assistance with ensuring the success of this clean-up. For more information on this clean-up, please contact solid Waste Code Enforcement Officer Stacy Workman at (858) 492-5084.

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 Jimmie L. Slack 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
August 5, 2010	Valencia Park Town Council (Bruce Williams)	6:30 p.m.	Valencia Park Elementary School 5880 Skyline Drive
August 10, 2010	Emerald Hills Neighborhood Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:00 p.m.	Johnson Elementary 1355 Kelton Rd
August 10, 2010	Mountain View Park and Rec. Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:30 p.m.	Mt. View Park 641 S. Boundary St.
August 10, 2010	Eastern Area Planning Committee (Bruce Williams)	7:00 p.m.	Holy Spirit Catholic Church 2755 55th Street

SAVE THE DATE:

Tribute to the Legends of Motown will be held on Saturday, September 18, 2010, featuring 5 *Tempting Men* and 3 *Diamonds*, at the George L. Stevens Senior Citizen's Community Center (570 S. 65th St.). Doors open at 6:00 p.m. and show time is at 7:00 p.m. For ticket information, contact: Earlene Barkley at (619) 262-8641, B. Henry at (619) 263-5414, H. Jenkins at (619) 303-8209, The Hall of Family Beauty Salon at (619) 303-8206 or Lady Cheryl's at (619) 263-7909.

On Saturday, October 16, 2010, Market Creek Plaza will host its fifth annual Arts and Culture Fest. The theme is: Honoring Our Cultural Heritage and Community Art Competition for Adults. The afternoon will feature music and dance performances, live art demonstrations, international foods, cultural workshops and much more. Admission is FREE. The festival is seeking original artwork by adults to compete for prizes in three categories which are: drawing, painting, and mixed media. Entries will be accepted September 1, 2010 until September 30, 2010 at the Joe and Vi Jacob's Center. For more information about rules and regulations, or to pick up an entry form, please contact Martha Aguilar-Chavez at (619) 527-6161 ext 182.

City Council will be on Summer Legislative Recess until September 3, 2010.

They will resume on Tuesday, September 7, 2010.

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