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DISTRICT FOUR

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RECENT COUNCIL ACTIONS:

On Nov. 27 the San Diego City Council agreed to spend \$425,000 for planning, mobility and environmental services needed for the creation of Master Plans for District 4's Euclid Avenue and National Avenue Corridors in the Southeastern San Diego Planning Areas.

The two new master plans will pave the way for much-anticipated economic development by addressing urban design issues including needed roadways, sidewalks, streetscape improvements as well as multi-modal mobility and safety for pedestrians, bicycles, cars and mass transit.

On Nov. 27 the San Diego City Council allocated \$25,000 for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Promenade capital improvement project in District 4. The cultural promenade, planned from Tiffin to Charlene Avenues in the Broadway Heights neighborhood, will include pedestrian walkways, fitness areas, seating, landscape, signage and other neighborhood streetscape improvements.

On Nov. 27 the San Diego City Council approved the final portion of its \$200,000 commitment to expand the Hire-A-Youth program.

Long-championed by Council President Young, the local jobs campaign overseen by the San Diego Workforce Partnership gives young adults ages 16 to 21 access to job and internship opportunities as well as provides help with job-readiness skills for San Diego's most important industry sectors. The City of San Diego committed \$100,000 as part of the budget process and seven councilmembers contributed an additional \$100,000 from their office budgets. Since the program was established in 2009, it has been able to find summer jobs for more than 3,000 teens and young adults in San Diego, including many from underserved communities in District 4.



Council President Young at Hire-A-Youth press conference with Mayor-Elect Bob Filner, Councilmembers Sherri Lightner and Marti Emerald, along with EDC's Mark Cafferty and Workforce Partnership's Peter Callstrom.



Council President Young joined Mayor Jerry Sanders, Irwin and Joan Jacobs and other city and business leaders at a Nov. 17 plaque unveiling ceremony at the new Downtown Central Library.

YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW:

The San Diego Mayor and City Council cordially invite the public to the Inauguration Ceremony of Mayor-elect Bob Filner, City Attorney Jan Goldsmith and Councilmember Sherri Lightner, Councilmember Todd Gloria, Councilmember-elect Mark Kersey, Councilmember-elect Scott Sherman, Councilmember Marti Emerald as members of the 69th City Council of The City of San Diego at 10 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 3 at the Balboa Park Club Ballroom, 2150 Pan American Road West. There's limited open seating in the ballroom with a reception immediately following in the Balboa Park Club Foyer. For information, call the City Clerk at: (619) 533-4000. **Meet Mayor Bob Filner at an inaugural celebration being held in District 4 on Monday, Dec. 3 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Jacobs Center, 404 Euclid Ave.** Other community events will be held that evening including: 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at UCSD/La Jolla Playhouse, 2910 La Jolla Village Dr.; 5 to 7 p.m. at Mira Mesa High School, 10510 Reagan Road; 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at The Center, 3909 Centre St.; and 8:00 to 9:30 p.m. at the San Ysidro Multi Cultural Center, 4345 Otay Mesa Road. For more information, call: (619) 231-6200.



YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW:

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Civic San Diego is hosting a free community workshop on Wednesday, Nov. 28 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Jacobs Center, 404 Euclid Ave. Workshop participants will be updated on major projects developed in SEDC and CCDC project areas, hear about tools used to attract private investment to our neighborhoods as well as learn more about Civic San Diego and its new role in citywide economic development. For more information, contact Lori Young at: (619) 533-7106.

FREE FAMILY ARTS & LITERACY

Young Audiences of San Diego and The Salvation Army Kroc Center will present families with dance performance and visual arts journey to Italy on Thursday, Nov. 29 at 6:30 p.m. The free performance of “A Taste of Italy and More” explores opera music through playful dance and colorful costumes. The program features the music of Mozart and a variety of work that has been performed by famous tenors including Mario Lanza and Luciano Pavarotti. Families also will take home a copy of the Caldecott award-winning children’s book *Strega Nona* by Tomie DePaola (while supplies last). For more information, call Sherrie Brown: (619) 282-7599.

VILLAGE CENTER MEETING

Meet the Jacobs Center Neighborhood Innovation’s new president and welcome new businesses in The Village at Market Creek on Tuesday, Dec. 4 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Joe & Vi Jacobs Center, 404 Euclid Ave. Dinner will be served and childcare provided. Please confirm your attendance at the Village Center Meeting by calling Bevelynn Bravo:(619) 527-6161 or email: BBravo@JacobsCenter.org.



BUSINESS MIXER

The Southeastern Diamond Business District (SDBD) is inviting all District 4 business owners and representatives to a free business mixer on Thursday, Dec. 6 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Felix BBQ, 342 Euclid St. RSVP for this local business mix and mingle event by calling Victor Brown at: (619) 764-6245 or email: info@sdbd.org.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY PRODUCTION

Community Actors Theatre (CAT) will present its annual holiday production “The Messiah” Dec. 6 - 23 at the local playhouse, 2957 54th Street. For more information about performance times and tickets, please call: (619) 264-3391 or online: communityactorstheatre.com.



DON'T BE A BULLY

San Diego City College Students in Free Enterprise will host the 2nd Annual Don't Be A Bully Conference on Saturday, Dec. 8 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Education Technology Center on the school campus, 1313 Park Blvd. This free conference is open to the community and will feature programs and panel discussions on prevention, education and eradication of bullying in schools and society. For more information, please call: (619) 388-3999 or online: sdsife.com.

FRIDAY NIGHT GAME TIME

Get your game on! The Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library hosts Game Time every Friday from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Young adults are invited to kick off the weekend with Friday Night video games, board games, Yu-Gi-Oh! duels and other fun activities. For more information, call the branch library at: (619) 527-3405.



PARKING CITATION RELIEF

Still haven't paid that old parking ticket? The Office of the City Treasurer has announced a Parking Citation Debt Settlement Program that will offer a one-time 50 percent reduction of the current balance due on tickets issued three or more years ago. Customers that qualify for the parking citation relief will be notified by mail and given 30 days to pay. For more information about the Parking Citation Debt Settlement Program, please contact the City of San Diego Revenue Collections Manager at: (619) 533-3888.

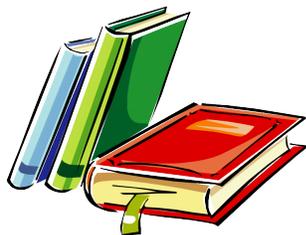
COMPOST BIN VOUCHERS

The City of San Diego's Environmental Services Department is providing city residents with discount vouchers for backyard composting bins. This year-round program offers a discount of \$30 to \$50 on three styles of backyard compost bins. One voucher per household is available starting in November and proof of residency required, while supplies last. Applications can be picked up at a Dixieline ProBuild location within city limits or online at: RecyclingWorks.com. For more information, call ESD at: (858) 694-7000.



EXTENDED LIBRARY HOURS

Weekend hours have been expanded at Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library in District 4, as well as three other branches and the Central Library Downtown. Sunday hours have resumed from 1 to 5 p.m. at Valencia Park/Malcolm X, Logan Heights, Mira Mesa and Rancho Bernardo. The Central Library downtown is now open on Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. For more information about extended library hours, please contact Marion Moss Hubbard at: (619) 236-5848.



JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS

The Center for Employment Training is providing assistance for veterans and others looking for training in welding, fabrication, green building construction and medical assistant careers. VA approved and financial aid available for those who qualify. For more information, please call: (619) 527-4895 or online: cetweb.org.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Volunteers are needed for the Lady Speed Stick Women's Half Marathon running race being held Sunday, Feb. 24. With over 500 volunteer positions available for the Health & Fitness Expo as well as race day, there is a spot for everyone including teams, groups, corporate teams or just friends and family. For a complete list of days, jobs, and shifts, please visit the website: womenshalfmarathon.com/sandiego/volunteer.



COMMUNITY MEETINGS:

Meeting Date	Community Meeting (District 4 Staff)	Meeting Time	Meeting Location
Wednesday November 28	Encanto Community/Rec Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:00 p.m.	Encanto Rec Center 6508 Wunderlin Drive
Monday December 3	Greater Skyline Hills Town Council (Liezl Mangonon)	6:00 p.m.	Skyline Park Rec Center 8285 Skyline Drive
Monday December 3	City Heights Planning Committee (Bruce Williams)	6:30 p.m.	SD Workforce Partnership 3910 University Avenue
Thursday December 6	Paradise Hills Rec Council (Roosevelt Williams III)	6:00 p.m.	Paradise Hills Rec Center 6610 Potomac Street
Thursday December 6	Mount Hope Community Meeting (Diana Juardo Sainz)	6:30 p.m.	Macedonia Baptist Church 641 S. Boundary Street
Thursday December 6	Oak Park Community Council (Bruce Williams)	7:00 p.m.	Oak Park Elementary 2606 54th Street

IMPORTANT CITY NUMBERS:

Non-Emergency Police

San Diego Police Department
619-531-2000

Street Light Repair

Transportation Department
619-527-8000

Pot Holes

Streets Division
619-527-7500

Dead Animal Pick Up

Environmental Services (streets, alley, sidewalks)
858-694-7000
Cal Trans (freeways and off-ramps)
619-688-6670

Graffiti Removal

Graffiti Control Hotline
619-525-8522

Missed Trash Pick Up

Environmental Services
858-694-7000

Abandoned Trash/Debris

Environmental Services
858-694-7000

Abandoned Shopping Carts

Environmental Services
858-694-7000

Neighborhood Code Compliance

619-236-5500

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