

# Councilmember Myrtle Cole Council District 4

e-Newsletter  
WINTER | February 4, 2015



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## Myrtle's Message

### Move That Wall: New Temporary Fire Station Coming to the Greater Skyline Hills Community

On Monday, I was joined by Mayor Kevin Faulconer, Fire Chief Javier Mainar, the Public Works staff, our first responders and community members as we celebrated this milestone and huge win for our district!

On the "**move that wall**" command, we watched as the last wall of an existing eyesore was demolished to make way for a new temporary fire station at Skyline Drive and Sychar in our Greater Skyline Hills Community.

Since I took office, I continue to make good on my promise to advocate for more resources for our first responders. I was so proud to see this day arrive but trust me when I say - I won't stop here. I'm also advocating for funding for a permanent structure. I'm down at City Hall fighting to make sure our first responders have the resources they need to do the job we need them to do.

**Public safety and quality jobs are two of my top priorities.** When construction projects begin in our neighborhoods, it means temporary construction jobs for our residents. This ceremony was just one of many groundbreaking ceremonies that I am looking forward to in my district.

Please **see the special insert photo gallery** for more on this important event.



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🗳️ **Why is Civic San Diego's Community Benefits Consensus Project Using "Mind Mixer?"** "[MindMixer](#)" is an online engagement tool created by planners to empower San Diegans to discuss their priorities, collaborate to evolve ideas, and identify shared values for Civic-invested developments in our neighborhoods. **Your voice is important and they want to hear from you!** You can easily register on the MindMixer site. Organizations can partner with Civic San Diego by placing a MindMixer widget (link) on their websites. Partnering organizations currently include the Association of General Contractors; City Heights CDC; San Diego Community Gardens Network; and SEIU Local 221. **The first CivicSD-MindMixer survey will close at 11:59pm on Monday, February 16.** You can register to participate at <http://civicsd.mindmixer.com>. Organizations that want to engage their members can email [communitybenefits@civicsd.com](mailto:communitybenefits@civicsd.com) for more information.

📖 **Reading Matters | Share Your Love for Reading with a #Shelfie:** Words Alive is asking the community to share their love of reading by taking a selfie in front of your bookshelf – called a "shelfie" – and sharing the photo through your social media using the #shelfie to declare that reading matters! For more information, visit: <http://www.wordsalive.org/#!/saylor/cq89>

🏠 **Neighborhood Revitalization through Code Enforcement** | One CIVIL PENALTY NOTICE AND ORDER and Two Notices of Violations: These notices were issued for **3 different properties:** one located on **Agua Vista Way**, one on **Reo Drive**, and the other located on **Vivian Street** that are ALL in violation of the San Diego Municipal Code. The property on Agua Vista Way has a non-permitted garage conversion. The property on **Reo Drive** is operating an unpermitted Marijuana Dispensary and must cease operation immediately and ensure it does NOT reopen. This case has also been referred to the Code Enforcement Unit of the City Attorney's Office for prosecution. Finally, the property owners on **Vivian Street** failed to obtain a building permit for a storage facility in the rear of the building and failed to keep the property free from trash, litter, rubbish, and debris. Civil Penalties are assessed at a daily rate not-to-exceed \$2,500 per day per violation and a total maximum of \$250,000 per parcel. **Code enforcement helps to keep our neighborhoods clean and safe.**

## PHOTO GALLERY



Mark Jones with BSJC shows the list of demands to Councilmember Cole during the Inauguration in December.



**Public Safety is one of Councilmember Cole's Top Priorities:** During last week's Public Safety and Livable Neighborhoods Committee meeting, one of our community members - Francine Maxwell (pictured top left) - gave kudos to the Encanto Rapid Response Team for their rapid response to an emergency call from her parents, Mr. & Mrs. David E. Burns. The Encanto Rapid Response Team(s): Capt. Jason Hewitt & Firefighter/Paramedic Joshua Miramontez and Capt. Chad Allison & Firefighter/Paramedic Kevin Melanson. Thank you first responders!

Also discussed during this PS & LN meeting was the **list of demands distributed by the Black Student Justice Coalition (BSJC)** during the Inauguration Ceremony in December and SDPD's progress update about this list. Mark Jones, former Marine and spokesman for the group (pictured bottom left), has been in the forefront and meeting with various Councilmembers. The list of demands was in response to police brutality concerns across the nation. Further collaboration is needed as we move toward bridging the gap between our police department and the community. We are listening and we hear the concerns of our communities.



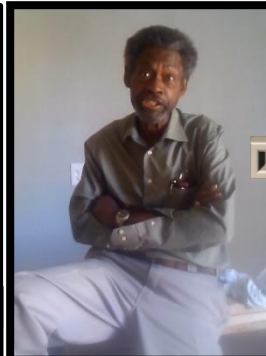
## Photo Gallery | Special Insert



### A New Temporary Fire Station is Coming to the Greater Skyline Hills Community



Councilmember Cole in Action  
Chair of Economic Development & Intergovernmental Relations Committee



Left: Mr. George Bolton made a video "thank you" for Councilmember Cole's assistance with his issue:

"I appreciate it. I'm glad she's there. If she wasn't there, I don't know what we would do in this district. I'll forever be grateful."

## Photo Gallery | Black History Month Celebration at City Hall



**NEWS |** Councilmember Cole and the San Diego City Council were honored to proclaim Black History Month in the City of San Diego. Joining in the celebration were the San Diego Black Police Officers Association, the Black Employees Association, Seasons of Praise, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, City employees, and members of the community. This year's celebration focused on the Role of Music in Black History from slavery to civil rights and beyond. Mr. Leonard Thompson, President & CEO of M.A.N.D.A.T.E Records, was honored for his 20 year commitment to excellence in bringing musical talent to San Diego.



## Fourth District Events & Meetings

### Upcoming City Council, Committee and Outside Organization Committee Meetings Councilmember Cole in Action!

- **February 6:**
  - Friday District Office Hours | 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Tubman Chavez Community Center. 415 Euclid Avenue, San Diego, CA 92114 | No appointment necessary.
- **February 9:**
  - San Diego City Council Meeting | 2:00 p.m. | City Administration Building, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor. 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101.
- **February 10:**
  - San Diego City Council Meeting | 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. | City Administration Building, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor. 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101.
- **February 11:**
  - Infrastructure Committee | 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. | City Administration Building, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor. 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101.
- **February 12:**
  - MTS Board Meeting | 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | James R. Mills Building. 1255 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101.
- **February 13:**
  - Friday District Office Hours | 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Tubman Chavez Community Center. 415 Euclid Avenue, San Diego, CA 92114 | No appointment necessary.

### Upcoming Community Meetings

- **February 5:**
  - Paradise Hills Recreation Council | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | Paradise Hills Recreation Center. 6610 Potomac Street, San Diego, CA 92139 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
  - Oak Park Community Council | 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. | Oak Park Elementary, Auditorium 2606 54<sup>th</sup> Street, San Diego, CA 92105 | Community Representative: Jimmie Slack, jslack@sandiego.gov.
- **February 9:**
  - Southeastern Planning Committee | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | Neighborhood House Association. 841 S. 41<sup>st</sup> Street, San Diego, CA 92113 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
  - Jamacha Community Council | 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. | Trinity Lutheran Church. 7210 Lisbon Street, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
- **February 10:**
  - Eastern Area Planning Committee | 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. | Holy Spirit Catholic Church. 2755 55<sup>th</sup> Street, San Diego, CA 92105 | Community Representative: Mathew Gordon, gordonm@sandiego.gov.
  - Emerald Hills Neighborhood Council | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | Johnson Elementary. 1355 Kelton Road, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Monica Montgomery, mmontgomery@sandiego.gov.
  - Skyline – Paradise Hills Planning Committee | 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. | Paradise Hills Recreation Center. 6610 Potomac Street, San Diego, CA 92139 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
- **February 11:**
  - Rolando Park Community Council | 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. | Rolando Park Elementary School. 6620 Marlowe Drive, San Diego, CA 92115 | Community Representative: Jimmie Slack, jslack@sandiego.gov.
  - Valencia Park Town Council – O'Farrell Park Town Council | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | O'Farrell Charter School. 6130 Skyline Drive, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Monica Montgomery, mmontgomery@sandiego.gov.

### Calendar of Events

- **East Village Community Development Corporation Business Academy presents "Using Financial Information to Achieve Profitability and Success"** | Thursday, February 5, 2015 | 6:00 p.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114. Please call to reserve your seat 619-972-2369.
- **Mayor's Luncheon** | Friday, February 6, 2015 | 11:30 a.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114. For more information visit: [www.uncf.org/SanDiegoLeadersLuncheon](http://www.uncf.org/SanDiegoLeadersLuncheon).
- **Immigration Reform Info Session** | Saturday, February 7, 2015 | 10:00 a.m. | Montgomery Waller Recreation Center. 3020 Coronado Avenue, San Diego, CA 92154. Get Information about DACA, DAPA. AB 60 and the latest immigration news.
- **Chocolate & Roses HBMA One Year Anniversary** | Tuesday, February 10 | 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. | 6193 University Avenue, San Diego, CA 92115 | Jon the Heartbeat Music Academy in their one year anniversary. For more information visit: [www.heartbeatmusicacademy.org](http://www.heartbeatmusicacademy.org)
- **InterACTION** | Wednesday, February 11 | 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. | Lincoln High School. 4777 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92113 | You are cordially invited to attend STAR/PAL & La Jolla Playhouse's "InterACTION". Original theater pieces written by students, under the direction of La Jolla Playhouse teaching artist James Pillar, Edwin Garrette, and Lori Williams will be performed by the students themselves.
- **East Village Community Development Corporation Business Academy presents "Before Meeting Your Banker"** | Thursday, February 12, 2015 | 6:00 p.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114. Please call to reserve your seat 619.972.2369.





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4 DE FEBRERO**

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***El Mensaje de Myrtle***

**Nueva Estación Temporal de Bomberos en la Comunidad de Skyline Hills**

Este lunes, en compañía del Alcalde Kevin Faulconer, el Jefe de Bomberos Javier Mainar, el equipo de Obras Publicas de la Ciudad y nuestros líderes comunitarios, celebre un gran logro para nuestro distrito.

Se dio la orden y se derrumbaron los muros de una antigua estación de gasolina que representaba un foco de contaminación visual para nuestra comunidad para dar espacio y albergar la nueva estación temporal de Skyline Drive y Sychar en la comunidad de Skyline Hills.

Desde que asumí mis funciones como Regidora siempre he abogado por la obtención de fondos para nuestros servicios de emergencia. Nuestra tarea no termina aquí, seguiré abogando por obtener más fondos para mejorar la infraestructura de nuestro distrito.

Entre mis prioridades, **la seguridad pública y la creación de trabajos de calidad** son muy importantes para mí. Cuanto se inician proyectos de construcción en nuestro Distrito, se crean trabajos temporales de calidad para nuestros residentes.

¡Esta ceremonia fue solo el inicio!