



Mayor and Members of the City Council:

This is the City Manager's Report for the week ending January 26, 2018.

### **CITY MANAGER**

The City of Antioch has received the very good news that we have received a Draft Funding Recommendation from the Department of Water Resources (DWR) in the amount of \$10,000,000 as part of the Proposition 1 Water Desalination Grant Program for construction of our brackish water desalination project. Although not final until after the February 5<sup>th</sup> public comment workshop and DWR Director's Final Funding Decision the week of February 19<sup>th</sup>, we have one of three projects being recommended for the maximum \$10,000,000 grant funding in this very competitive process. The EIR for this project is being prepared with the expectation it will be adopted by mid-summer with the design and construction method to be decided by City Council shortly afterwards.

Funding Category	Application	Project Title	Total Project Cost	Grant Award
Construction	South Coast Water District	Doheny Ocean Desalination Phase 1 Project	\$107,108,400	\$10,000,000
	City of Antioch	City of Antioch Brackish Water Desalination Project	\$62,217,732	\$10,000,000
	City of Camarillo	North Pleasant ∀alley Desalter	\$31,930,663	\$10,000,000
Design Pilot	Eastern Municipal Water District	Enhanced Brine Concentration Design Pilot Project	\$5,965,078	\$1,500,000
	Olivenhain Municipal Water District	San Dieguito Valley Brackish Groundwater Desalination Design Pilot	\$1,340,856	\$650,000
Feasibility Study	Indian Wells Valley Water District	Indian Wells Valley (IWV) Brackish Groundwater Feasibility Study	\$1,518,389	\$1,083,984
	Water Replenishment District of Southern California	Feasibility Study for the West Coast Basin Brackish Water Reclamation Project	\$1,400,000	\$700,000
Research Pilot	University of Southern California	System Configurations and Cooling Technologies for Waste-Heat-Driven Membrane Distillation in Desalination Applications with High Water Recovery	\$1,007,852	\$503,490
Total Funding				\$34,437,474

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Along with Mayor Wright, I attended the East County Mayors/Supervisors Delta 6 meeting. This quarterly meeting of the Antioch, Brentwood, Oakley and Pittsburg mayors and city managers, along with County Supervisors Burgis and Glover (or their representatives) is an opportunity to discuss subjects and issues that affect our communities. Some items discussed include: district elections, BART, the Concord Naval Weapons Station project in Concord, water rates, regional economic development collaboration and cannabis legislation and impacts. This meeting is another example of our desire to work collaboratively and cooperatively with our neighbors on regional issues.

Last Saturday the City Council held a Strategic Plan and Goal Setting Workshop at the Antioch Community Center to discuss their mission, vision and priorities to be implemented over the next three to five years. The all-day session was attended by City of Antioch department heads and managers, as well as a good turnout from the community. Public Safety, Economic Development focusing on job creation and the downtown area, Recreation and Fiscal Sustainability were some of the goals identified for further discussion. We also heard a presentation about the Quality of Life Survey conducted in October 2017 where residents were polled seeking the most important issues facing Antioch. A draft of the Strategic Plan will be presented to the City Council in March where more input and direction will be given.

The City of Antioch wants to do a better job protecting, maintaining and enhancing our quality of life. With the community's help, we can reach our potential as a safe, clean, beautiful place to live. As we continue our 2018 City Council goal-setting and budget planning, the City would like to engage the community around the priorities you want us to address. That's why the City conducted a Quality of Life Resident Survey in the Fall of 2017. Some of the priorities identified by your neighbors were:

- Ensuring water quality and safety
- Maintaining Antioch's financial stability
- Maintaining 911 police response
- Attracting and retaining local businesses
- Maintaining local control over local needs
- Restoring and maintaining the number of police officers patrolling the City streets
- Maintaining youth violence prevention programs

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Please join the conversation and share what is important to you by completing our online survey or printing out the survey and return to us by mail or drop by one of our City offices. Go to the City's website at <a href="www.ci.antioch.ca.us">www.ci.antioch.ca.us</a> and click on the <a href="Wew Want">We Want</a> to Hear From You Join the Conversation button where an online survey can be taken or a paper version can be printed. We will also be sending out a survey in the February water bills for interested residents and businesses to complete and return. Thank you for letting us know what is important to you!

The TRANSPLAN Committee which coordinates the regional transportation interests of the communities of eastern Contra Costa County appointed Mayor Sean Wright as their alternate representative to the CCTA (Contra Costa Transportation Authority) Board of Commissioners.

The Eastern Contra Costa Transit Authority (Tri Delta Transit) Board of Directors appointed Council Member Monica Wilson as the transit operators' alternate representative to the CCTA Authority Board of Commissioners.

### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**



Best Buy is due to open its doors in Antioch this weekend! The new location is at the Slatten Ranch Shopping Center between Target and Old Navy. The new space totals approximately 42,000 square feet, bigger than their previous location. Best Buy will feature Pacific Sales Kitchen & Home, giving customers the ability to shop from a great selection of quality appliance brands. Other

features include the Magnolia Home Theater offering an elevated audio, video and home control experience in a studio environment that lets you demo these products side by side. Geek Squad services bring you technology experts, ready to help with any issues, from major appliances to TVs, computers, networking and more.

New <u>Address</u>: 5839 Lone Tree Way, Antioch, CA 94531 Departments: Pacific Sales Kitchen & Home Appliance,

Geek Squad, Magnolia Home Theater

Hours: 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Phone: (925) 513-4995



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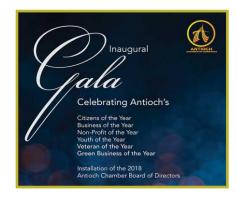


Construction and renovations are going quickly at the old Humphrey's. Exterior work such as: painting, roof, siding, landscaping, hardscaping and other repairs already show a huge improvement to the area. New owner Sean McCauley Investments, Inc. (SMI), have been busy getting the 12,432 square foot building to a standard that is ready to lease and ready for tenant improvements. SMI is in the final stages of finalization with Randy and Lynn Tei, DBA RLW Properties (RLW) for the operation of a restaurant. RLW will have additional improvements such as kitchen and interior design work. RLW anticipates their new restaurant in Antioch will have a seafood-based menu and will also yield about 100 new restaurant-related jobs. Stay tuned for more updates as the City helps with this effort!

Antioch welcomes the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Black History Art & Artifacts Exhibit to the Nick Rodriguez Community Center on Saturday, February 3, 2018. The Opening Reception is from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. on February 3<sup>rd</sup> and the exhibit is open daily through February 10<sup>th</sup>. Regular exhibit hours are 12:00 p.m. to



5:00 p.m. The exhibit provides a historical timeline of the African American experience and highlights historical events. The exhibit includes art, artifacts and literature that reflect the Black experience from Africa to the present. It is a wonderful experience for the whole family and children are welcome!



The Antioch Chamber of Commerce will host their Annual Awards Gala and is pleased to open nominations for 2017 in the following categories: Youth of the Year, Non-profit of the Year, Citizen of the Year – Most Impact, Citizen of the Year – Lifetime Achievement, Small Business of the Year, Large Business of the Year, and a new category, Green Business of the Year! The winner for this category will be selected and presented by Delta Diablo Sanitation District.

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Nomination forms must be completed and received by the Antioch Chamber of Commerce no later than Friday, January 26, 2018. Tickets for the Gala are \$75/seat, or \$700 to reserve a table of 8. To purchase tickets please visit their website at <a href="https://www.antiochchamber.com">www.antiochchamber.com</a>, email <a href="mailto:frondeskadmin@antiochchamber.com">frondeskadmin@antiochchamber.com</a>, or call (925) 757-1800.



For more information about Business mixers, events, or memberships check out the website calendar Chamber of Commerce Events

## Look Who's Riding: Antioch Encourages Train Ridership



Amtrak<sup>®</sup> San Joaquins<sup>SM</sup> travels through the heart of California's San Joaquin Valley and provides an important connection between the Valley and the Bay Area. Amtrak is also the only train that services the Antioch station. Amtrak is launching a campaign called "Look Who's Riding," aimed at engaging stakeholders in Antioch and the corridor to show their support and frequency of ridership. The

campaign centers on images of stakeholders riding the San Joaquins as well as testimonials. Participation takes the form of three simple steps:

- 1. Take a photo of yourself on the train or at the station.
- 2. Send your photo to <a href="mailto:info@sjjpa.com">info@sjjpa.com</a> along with your name, title, organization, and brief testimonial (2-3 sentences).
- 3. Amtrak San Joaquins will post the photo and provide you with instructions on how to post it yourself!



# **El Campanil Theatre**

602 W. Second St. Downtown Antioch

Tickets: www.ElCampanilTheatre.com or

(925) 757-9500

Franc D'Ambrosio's Broadway San Francisco's Phantom Returns

Sunday January 28, 2018, 3:00 p.m. Adults: \$29, Seniors (62 and Over): \$27 Youth (Under 18): \$12 Reserved Seating



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American singer/actor Franc D'Ambrosio brings "Songs of the Great White Way" to El Campanil Theatre in Antioch. Franc is best known for his role in the stage version of Andrew Lloyd Webber's The Phantom of the Opera. Called "The Iron Man of The Mask," Franc D'Ambrosio was awarded the distinction as the "World's Longest Running Phantom." Recognized for his vibrant voice and legato singing, D'Ambrosio also played the opera singing grandson in Godfather III and sang the Academy Award winning theme song, "Speak Softly Love" – both in the film and on the Original Motion Picture Soundtrack. D'Ambrosio's resume also includes an Academy Award Nominated film, an Emmy Award Nominated television show, four-time Tony Nominated Broadway show, Two Grammy Considerations, and a National Theatre Award Nomination.

### For more Information:

https://www.elcampaniltheatre.com/franc-dambrosio.html



RHINESTONE: A Salute to the Songs & Career of GLEN CAMPBELL
Performed by ANDREW KAHRS

Saturday February 3, 2018, Time: 8:00 p.m. Adults: \$29, Seniors (62 and Over): \$27, Youth (Under 18): \$12
Reserved Seating
Buy Online – No Convenience Fees

The distinctive voice of Rising Star ANDREW KAHRS is celebrating The Legacy of GLEN CAMPBELL in a Salute to the Songs of this contemporary Music Legend with hits including *Gentle On My Mind, Galveston, Wichita Lineman, By The Time I Get To Phoenix, Rhinestone Cowboy...* and many more favorite Classics.

Born and raised in Atlanta, Georgia, Andrew has never strayed from the soulful bends and warm twang of the music that sparked his desire to pick up a guitar and start writing at age 15. A cross-country move to San Francisco in 2014 deepened the love and longing for his southern roots, and now at age 27, a seasoned blend of blues, country, and bluegrass can be heard in Andrew's recorded music and live performances over 200 days of the year in the California Bay Area.

Contemporary Music Legend Glen Campbell has tallied 21 Top 40 hits, 6 Top 20 albums, 27 Top 10 singles, 9 No. 1 Country albums, 5 Grammy Awards, 3 Grammy Hall of Fame honors, and 3 Gospel Music Association Dove Awards. He is a 15-time CMA

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Award nominee and 2-time winner. Campbell's final album **Adios** was released June 2017.

#### For more Information:

https://www.elcampaniltheatre.com/Rhinestone.html



This One's For You – The Songs of Barry Manilow A Cabaret Tribute to a Pop Legend

Saturday, February 10, 2018, 2:00 p.m. Adults: \$29, Seniors (62 and Over): \$27, Youth (Under 18): \$12 Reserved Seating

BARRY MANILOW wrote over 400 songs including This One's For You; 12 No. 1's and 47 Top 50 singles. His unparalleled career is made up of virtually every facet of music, including performing, composition, arranging and producing. He has triumphed in every medium of entertainment and has received Grammy, Emmy and Tony Awards, and an Academy Award nomination.

A celebration of the songs and career of a Pop Legend, this special show is performed in cabaret style with a stellar cast of Music and Theatre veterans features the popular Star of JOEL: The Band, **Kyle Martin**, reuniting with his former co-star from The World of Webber, **Tielle Baker**, who starred in last season's CHICAGO: The Musical, and Theatre Bay Area Award-Winners **Nikita Burshteyn** (Jesus Christ Superstar) and **Andrea J. Love** (Urinetown: The Musical.)

For more Information: <a href="https://www.elcampaniltheatre.com/this-ones-for-you.html">https://www.elcampaniltheatre.com/this-ones-for-you.html</a>

THE SOUTHERN CAFE BAR & LOUNGE IN ANTIOCH PROUDLY PRESENTS

Lawrence Beamen best known for performing on America's Got Talent Top 5 Finalist gives a powerful tribute to black history and performs songs by the late and great Paul Robeson!!! Special Guest The Lions Den (TLD) will perform songs from their album, Neva Turn Back.

Friday, February 2, 2018, 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Tickets: lawrencebeamen.eventbrite.com



### **VALENTINE'S WEEKEND: NORMAN CONNORS & JEAN CARN**

## Saturday, February 17, 2018

Two Shows: 7:00 p.m. and 9:30 p.m.

Doors Open at 5:30 p.m.

Singing your favorite songs:

Valentine Love, We Both Need Each Other, You Are My Starship, This Is Your Llfe, Don't Let It Go To Your Head, Closer Than Close, Free Love and My Love Don't Come Easy



General Seating: \$45.00 Preferred Seating \$55.00 VIP Seating \$65.00

Information Please Call: (510) 708-2013, (707) 980-1848, or (925) 754-1172

Email: <a href="mailto:prbellsoutherncafe@gmail.com">prbellsoutherncafe@gmail.com</a>
Online Tickets: <a href="mailto:normanjean.eventbrite.com">normanjean.eventbrite.com</a>

**Marketing.** The City Manager's Economic Development Department is gearing up to interview four Marketing and Branding Firms for the City. Our City Council had expressed a need for branding and marketing services during the City's midyear review and requested \$100,000 for this effort. Staff went out with a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) in October and received a total of six proposals. A short list of four firms was created in December and interviews will proceed followed by a recommendation to Council in February 2018.

# **Stay Connected to Your Community**

Did you know the City of Antioch has a variety of ways to communicate, check out our social media we are continuing our efforts to better communicate with our residents.









Antioch on the Move

## Do you have Economic Business News to share?

Please email <a href="mailto:lizepeda@ci.antioch.ca.us">lizepeda@ci.antioch.ca.us</a> for submittals and to share pictures, stories, links, or community events on our social media outlets.

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### **CITY CLERK**

City Council Meetings are held every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month in the Council Chambers beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The next City Council Meeting will be held on February 13, 2018, in the Council Chambers beginning at 7:00 p.m. City Council Agendas, including Staff Reports are posted onto our City's Website 72 hours before each Council Meeting. To be notified when the agenda packets are posted onto our City's Website, simply click on this link: <a href="http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/notification-systems/">http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/notification-systems/</a> and enter your e-mail address to subscribe. To view the agenda information, click on the following link: <a href="http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/agendas/">http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/agendas/</a> and then click 'City Council'.

The Annotated Agenda for the January 23<sup>rd</sup> City Council Meeting is posted on the City's Website.

The next regularly scheduled Board of Administrative Appeals meeting will be held on February 1, 2018, in the Council Chambers which will begin at 3:00 p.m.



Deputy City Clerk Christina Garcia fulfilled the requirements of the International Institute of Municipal Clerks (IIMC). On January 19, 2018, she received her Certified Municipal Clerk (CMC)

designation. The IIMC Certified Municipal Clerk Program requires 60 units of Education and 50 units of

Experience. This is the first time the City Clerk's Office has had two Certified Municipal Clerks. City Clerk Arne Simonsen received his CMC designation on August 18, 2017. Congratulations Christina!



### **HUMAN RESOURCES**

### **Current Open Recruitments:**

- Police Officer Lateral (continuous)
- Police Academy Graduate/Student (continuous)
- Police Trainee (continuous)
- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (part-time)
- Facilities Maintenance Worker I/II
- Lead Collections Systems Worker

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There are always exciting career opportunities with the City of Antioch. The City's open recruitments can be found on the Human Resources page of the City's website <a href="http://ci.antioch.ca.us/Human-Resources">http://ci.antioch.ca.us/Human-Resources</a>. Click on Job Opportunities or Promotional Opportunities, click on the Job Position, click on Apply.

### RECREATION



Season Passes for the 2018 summer season are now on sale! Antioch residents save 25% on a season pass when purchased before Opening Day, which means you only have to visit the water park four times to benefit from this bargain. Staff can guarantee that there will be at least four hot days this summer! Buy your passes on line or visit the Antioch Community Center.

This week, staff distributed more than 70 letters and applications for 2018 Water Park rentals and buyouts. If your group would like to reserve a party at the Water Park, please call 776-3076, and let our recreation staff help you plan a special outing!

This week, 30 light-footed participants took over the Ballroom at the Antioch Community Center to learn Ballroom Dance and the very popular Red Hot Salsa Dance class. Taught by National Dance Champion Alberta Bagneschi, Latin dancing, in particular, has quickly become a favorite at the Community Center. Did you know that the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute has found that social dancing can lead to lower risks of heart disease, decrease blood pressure and assist people in managing their weight!



The Antioch Community Center offers many options for rental space – from meetings to private gatherings! Last week, the Center hosted the City Council Strategic Workshop, Deer Valley High School Leadership Class, and Hill Physicians training/meeting seminar. Come rent from us and let the Recreation staff plan your perfect event.

Last week, the Antioch Council of Teens (ACT) began charting ideas for new events, projects, and community outreach that would benefit the youth of Antioch. If any teens or community groups have ideas or suggestions, please call (925) 776-3076.

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On Wednesday, over 20 seniors participated in the Senior Center's painting class. Three new members were welcomed by the veteran painters, and everyone participated in their weekly potluck lunch before class.

American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) provides free tax services at the Antioch Senior Center beginning February 1, 2018. Staff has begun scheduling appointments. This service is available to all individuals with low to moderate income, regardless of age. AARP will be at the senior center every Thursday from February 1<sup>st</sup> to April 12<sup>th</sup> during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Over the last week, 332 affordable, healthy meals were served through the CoCo Café. This program helps prevent heart attacks, depression, asthma and congestive heart failure. No membership or income requirements are required to eat at the CoCo Café. All supplies are provided by the County for participating cafés.



### https://www/facebook.com/antiochrecreation

### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

The Model Homes are open for the Park Ridge development by Davidon Homes! According to Davidon Homes, "This new home community in the heart of family-friendly Antioch features eight quality-crafted single-story and two-story designs ranging from 2,078 to over 3,500 square feet. In addition to an impressive selection of



included interior finishes and amenities, the homes of Park Ridge offer an



array of creative room options including additional bedrooms and baths, optional fireplaces, decks at select locations, and expanded outdoor living areas. Exterior elevations showcase the artistry of Traditional,

Spanish, Craftsman and Tuscan architectural styles, and come complete with professionally-designed front yard landscaping."

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**Planning.** On January 23, 2018, the City Council approved the General Plan Land Use Element Update and the Downtown Specific Plan. Both of these efforts have been underway since late 2014 and will greatly benefit the City of Antioch. The General Plan Land Use Element Update integrates past actions of the City Council and other outside agencies and brings the important component of the General Plan up to date. This will be very helpful as the City considers future development applications. The draft document presented to the City Council is available at:

http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/CommDev/PlanningDivision/docs/GeneralPlanPDF/04-land-use.pdf

The Downtown Specific Plan provides a concise blueprint for the development and redevelopment of Downtown Antioch. By removing barriers and offering new opportunities, the Plan aims to encourage investment in new residential and commercial development, to guide City efforts, and to bring new businesses to Downtown Antioch. The approved Downtown Specific Plan is available at:

http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/CommDev/PlanningDivision/

On February 13, 2018, the City Council will consider the Wildflower Station project, a large mixed use development single-family homes. 22 multifamily apartments, and 89,422 square feet of new commercial space. The project site is 23 acres in size and is located at the northeast corner of Hillcrest Avenue and Wildflower Drive. The Planning Commission recommended approval on January 17. Plans can be found at:

http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/CommDev/PlanningDivision/docs/ProjectDOCs/PD-16-03.pdf



**Code Enforcement.** The Abatement Team is here to "Fight Blight". If you see graffiti or illegal dumping in your neighborhood or around the City, please forward a complaint to the Code Enforcement Division.

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The Abatement Team is set up to respond to these issues and works with the Code Enforcement Officers and the Antioch Police Department to pursue those responsible. We need your help to tackle these issues and keep Antioch beautiful. Complaints can be filed at https://en.seeclickfix.com/antioch.





### https://www.facebook.com/EcoAntioch/

### **PUBLIC WORKS**



The Antioch Marina is now officially a designated site on the San Francisco Bay Area Water Trail. Kayakers and paddle boarders can now easily launch themselves from one of two "Cadillac" kayak launches at the Antioch Marina, the first of it's kind in Contra Costa County. View our video by clicking on the photo or navigate to this page:

https://youtu.be/jtIJUPKt5h4

James Pflueger and Sandra Kelly got together with the stake holders and officially completed the grant for our two kayak launches. The grant award is \$31,835 with no matching funds from the City required. This was an outstanding achievement with staff effort coming from 'Mr. Marina' himself, James Pflueger, and on the volunteer side, 'Extra Mile Volunteer,' Sandra Kelly. The 'Dream Team' also included local stakeholders and outstanding COMMUNITY volunteers.

Once the kayak launches arrived, our 'Super Star' Marina Maintenance Worker, Darren Russell, stepped in and with the help of COMMUNITY volunteers they quickly put the launches together and then the 'Fun' began.



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This all around STRONG effort has translated into the COMMUNITY calling our launch The Cadillac of Kayak Launches. If you would like to volunteer at our Marina, please contact James or Darren and join in the fun making OUR Marina better than ever!

Marina Contact Info: 925-779-6957
AntiochMarina@ci.antioch.ca.us

The storm season is finally here and our crews are working in full force to keep flooding to a minimum. You will probably see these trucks picking up water or cleaning our storm drains in the coming weeks.

We have 282 miles of storm water pipe throughout Antioch. Keeping these lines flowing is a vital part of any storm management plan. Our storm drainage systems are designed to drain storm water and untreated water into rivers and creeks. Storm lines need to be



cleaned regularly. Routine cleaning reduces the amount of pollutants, trash, and debris both in the storm drain system and in receiving waters.

### **Contact Public Works:**

Mobile Devices: Download the **SeeClickFix** application on a mobile device.

Email: publicworks@ci.antioch.ca.us.

City website: http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/PublicWorks/SeeClickFix.htm.

Phone: (925) 779-6950



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### **POLICE**



APD Officer Robert Solari, his wife Heather, and a few of Heather's friends have been the driving force behind getting the Breast Cancer Awareness License Plate authorized through the DMV. Heather Solari is a Dispatcher with San Leandro PD and a survivor. Former State Assembly Member Joan Buchanan and Assembly Member Jim Frazier championed their efforts rallying legislative support. The bill was introduced by Assembly

Member Frazier and passed. The plates were to be issued once they reached the threshold of 7,500 prepaid orders. Happily they have met and exceeded that goal. Starting on December 28, 2017, the DMV began issuing Breast Cancer Awareness License Plates. Heather and Robert attended a roll out ceremony in Sacramento when the official announcement was made.

If you want to show your support and are interested in ordering Breast Cancer Awareness Plates, you can order through the DMV at: https://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal/dmv/detail/online/elp/elp.



Back to school! Officer Patrick Mayer and our newest K9-Dex went off to school for some specialized patrol training in preparation of their P.O.S.T. certification testing. While police service dogs receive some training from the kennels where they are purchased, they are not entirely patrol ready. Over the next four weeks they will have intensive training, testing, and bonding before heading out to patrol. Officers Mayer and Dex will practice obedience, tracking, trailing, and other skills. They will hone their abilities and partnership to become an effective K9 team, serving the citizens of Antioch.

We are very excited to have Officers Mayer and Dex return to patrol as the newest members of our K9 unit.





The Antioch Police Department is excited to announce the **88**<sup>th</sup> installment of the Neighborhood Cleanup Program. This is a collaborative community effort which involves active participation from The Antioch Police Department Crime Prevention Commission, Neighborhood Watch Program, Volunteers in Police Service, community volunteers and the Public Works Department.

Collectively, "**We**", everyone who works and lives in the City Antioch, can make a difference and improve the quality of life. It's our community and it's our chance to make a difference.

The City of Antioch Neighborhood Cleanup program is not just for residential neighborhoods. It is a program that will change venues on a monthly basis and it will include business and commercial areas as well. Neighborhoods that are free of trash and refuse are inviting, and a clean community instills a sense of community pride.

The 88<sup>th</sup> Neighborhood Cleanup event will occur on **Saturday**, **February 3**, **2018**, **from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.** We will be cleaning the neighborhood between Jacobsen Drive, Minaker Drive and Hargrove Street. Volunteers will meet at Jacobsen Park, Jacobsen Drive between Azevedo and Hillcrest.

Volunteers will receive instructions and the equipment necessary to accomplish the goal. The targeted area is within walking distance. Excluding inclement weather, future Neighborhood Cleanup events are scheduled for the first Saturday of every month and the locations will be announced in advance.

Remember, cleaning up your neighborhood can make life better for your family, your neighbors and your community!



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### **Animal Services.**

Our goal of promoting animal welfare and caring for our shelter animals could not be accomplished without our generous volunteers! The gift of their time extends our resources and provides the human power necessary to support the people and animals in our community. There are many areas where volunteers help. From dog walking, cat cuddling to laundry and adoption events. If you would like to learn more, please attend our upcoming Volunteer Orientation.



### **Volunteer Orientation**

February 3, 2018 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Antioch Police Department Community Room RSVP at <a href="mailto:mhueston@ci.antioch.ca.us">mhueston@ci.antioch.ca.us</a>



https://www.facebook.com/AntiochAnimalServices/