



CITY MANAGER'S

Weekly Update

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Mayor and Members of City Council

This is the City Manager's Report for the week of February 18, 2019

City Manager

Contra Costa County Mayor's Conference

Mayor Wright and I attended the Contra Costa County Mayor's Conference hosted by the City of Concord. The panel discussion of recycling experts discussed the China National Sword and the Great Recycling Recession. The environmental and cost implications of China's change in policy on taking recycling from California is staggering. Only certain plastic bottles and jugs and corrugated cardboard currently have any recycling value with the rest, including glass and paper, basically valueless. Along with SB 1383 which mandates residential food recycling, and a myriad of other bills intended to protect the environment, the cost of recycling and garbage service will increase significantly.



LOCC City Manager's Conference

At last week's League of California Cities City Manager's Conference I attended several very informative sessions that included collaborative local California cities into the future which focused on building appropriate technology infrastructure, evolving trends in cannabis regulations, and federal and state approved Opportunity Zones. These zones may be enhanced with EIFDs/CRIAs (Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts/Community Revitalization and Investment Authorities) both of which utilize tax increment to finance infrastructure and redevelopment of underutilized property.

Suburban Poverty Task Force

The Suburban Poverty Task Force convened a meeting to discuss homelessness in Antioch and specifically downtown.

Mayor Wright, Mayor Pro Tem Motts, Contra Costa County Homeless Services Director Lavonna Martin, city staff, business owners, non-profits and faith-based groups were in attendance. The discussion focused on the significant challenges facing our city and county in the area of homelessness. The goal is to meet and discuss strategies; reduce misperceptions; identify broader community-based solutions with improved decision making and actions allowing for better impacts and outcomes.





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Police



Graduation

We are pleased to announce the graduation of Denny Berrera, our newest police officer. Officer Berrera graduated from the Delta Police Academy on 2/13/19. Chief Brooks was on hand to congratulate Berrera and present him with his badge. Berrera, along with Officers Hill and Milner were sworn in at the Antioch Police Department on 2/14/19. Afterward, all three will begin their field training program as they work towards being solo patrolmen. With the addition of Officer Berrera, we are now at 101 police officers. Please join us in congratulating Officer Berrera as he starts his new career with the Antioch Police Department.





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Police- *Animal Services*

Backyard Chickens

We are often asked if it is okay to keep backyard chickens. The short answer is, yes! The long answer is, Antioch Municipal Code requires that you obtain a permit to own fowl (chickens or ducks), in certain circumstances. A permit is required if you want to own more than ten fowl within the City limits, or if you're going to own a rooster. The keeping of chickens and ducks in our City requires you to follow all pertinent City Codes, and the fowl cannot be located within 20 feet of any dwelling. The area where the fowl are housed must also be kept clean and must provide adequate room for the animal(s) being housed.



Chickens, ducks, roosters, etc., are not allowed to be "at large" at any time, nor to be off their owner's property. Also, when applying for a permit to own a rooster, or to keep more than ten fowl, the permitting process requires approval from your neighbors', and an inspection of the area where the fowl will be kept. For additional information about our feathered friends, or if you have further questions relating to the keeping of fowl in your neighborhood, please contact Animal Control Officer Cottle at ccottle@ci.antioch.ca.us.

Human Resources



Hires/Re-classifications/Promotions:

- Laurie McNeil was hired as a Finance Services Supervisor for the Finance Department on February 11, 2019.

Please join me in welcoming this employee to their new position with the City of Antioch

Currently, open recruitment's include:

- Police Officer Lateral (continuous)
- Police Academy Graduate/Student (continuous)
- Police Trainee (continuous)

There are always exciting career opportunities with the City of Antioch. The City's open recruitment's can be found on the Human Resources page of the City website [here](#) Click on Job Opportunities or Promotional Opportunities, click on the Job Position, click on [Apply](#).



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Recreation

Water Park Season Passes Now on Sale!

Season Passes for the Antioch Water Park 2019 season are now on sale. Looking for a way to beat the heat? Cool off and enjoy unlimited visits to the park all summer long. Create lasting memories of cruising down the Canyon Cooler Slide, splashing in Boulder Cove or soaking in the sun at the Tad Pool. Buy your Season Pass before opening day and save. Season Passes purchased February 7th-May 24th will be discounted; \$59 for residents, \$70 for non-residents. Passes purchased on or after May 25th will cost \$74 for residents and \$90 for non-residents. 2019 Water Park Season Passes can be purchased by clicking the link [here](#).



CITY OF ANTIOCH YOUTH ACTIVITY SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are available at the Antioch Community Center for residents of Antioch and the Antioch Unified School District. Call us for more information at (925) 776-3050 x0.



ACTIVITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS COORDINATED BY THE ANTIOCH RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Employers will be on site ready to hire YOU!

- Multiple Jobs Available! • Career Coaching
- Application and Resume Writing • Nailing the Interview
- HOT TIPS — Bring Resume & Dress to IMPRESS!

Free!

ANTIOCH YOUTH EMPLOYMENT FAIR

Saturday February 23, 2019

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Nick Rodriguez Community Center
213 F St, Antioch, CA 94509

Open to the Public | Ages 15-24

Antioch Water Park has several openings:

- Lifeguard • Swim Instructor • Cashiers
- Concessions • Deck Crew

Opportunities and Resources Available

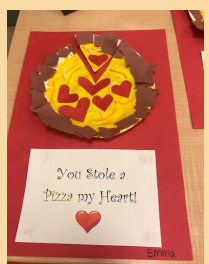


Preschool Programs

Love for learning is in the air! The next session of Preschool has begun and they are celebrating! Children are making fun themed crafts, playing educational games and enjoying new activities.

Preschool is also the place where the

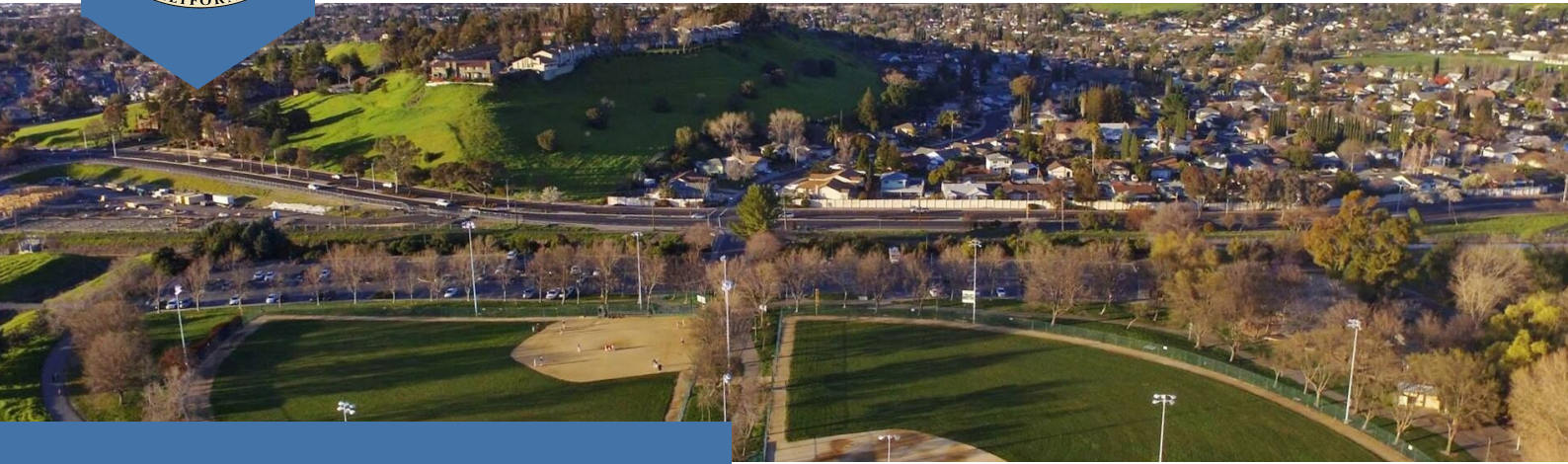
very young make new friends, learn to be a friend, and create long-lasting memories. Happy Valentine's Day from our lovely little learners!





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Community Development

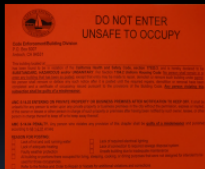
Building

The Community Development Department is working to update and expand its Unreinforced Masonry Building program. Presently, the City recognizes twenty-five unreinforced masonry buildings, based off surveys conducted in 1991. Over the years, several of these buildings have undergone seismic retrofits and are now eligible for new categorizations.

The goal of this program is to inform and educate property owners and the public about the risks of unreinforced masonry buildings and to promote seismic retrofits of eligible buildings. Over the coming months, City staff will be updating its inventory of affected buildings and will be presenting the City Council with a new ordinance addressing the issue.



CITY OF ANTIOCH CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION



Code Enforcement Presentation

On February 20, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. the Code Enforcement Division will be making a presentation before the Police Crime Prevention Commission about Code Enforcement processes and procedures. Code Enforcement staff will be available to discuss Code Enforcement in the City of Antioch and to answer questions.

This meeting is open to the public and will be held in the Antioch Police Department's Community Room (300 "L" Street).



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City Clerk

City Council Meetings

City Council Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month in the Council Chambers, 200 H Street, beginning at 7:00 p.m. City Council Agendas, including Staff Reports, are posted on our City's Website 72 hours before each Council Meeting.

To be notified when the agenda packets are posted onto our City's Website, at <https://www.antiochca.gov/notifications/> and enter your e-mail address to subscribe. To view the current and past agenda information, [click here](#).

Police Crime Prevention Commission

The City Clerk's Office is accepting applications for the following Board/Commission:

- Police Crime Prevention Commission, partial-term vacancy expiring October 2021

Any interested resident is encouraged to apply. To be considered for this volunteer position, a completed application must be received in the Office of the City Clerk by 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 15, 2019.

Applications are available at <https://www.antiochca.gov/#> and the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 200 H Street, Antioch, CA 94509, (925) 779-7009, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Applications and resume can be emailed to cityclerk@ci.antioch.ca.us.



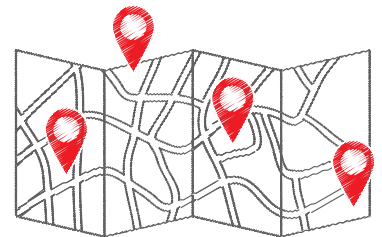
City Clerk Academy

City Clerk Arne Simonsen and Deputy City Clerk Christina attended the Master Municipal Clerk and Clerk of the Board Academy (MMCA) last week. Christina completed her second MMCA course while Arne completed his fourth session as an Advanced participant. Clerks and Deputy Clerks from all over California attended.

City Council District Maps

The City Clerk's Office has placed large maps of the City

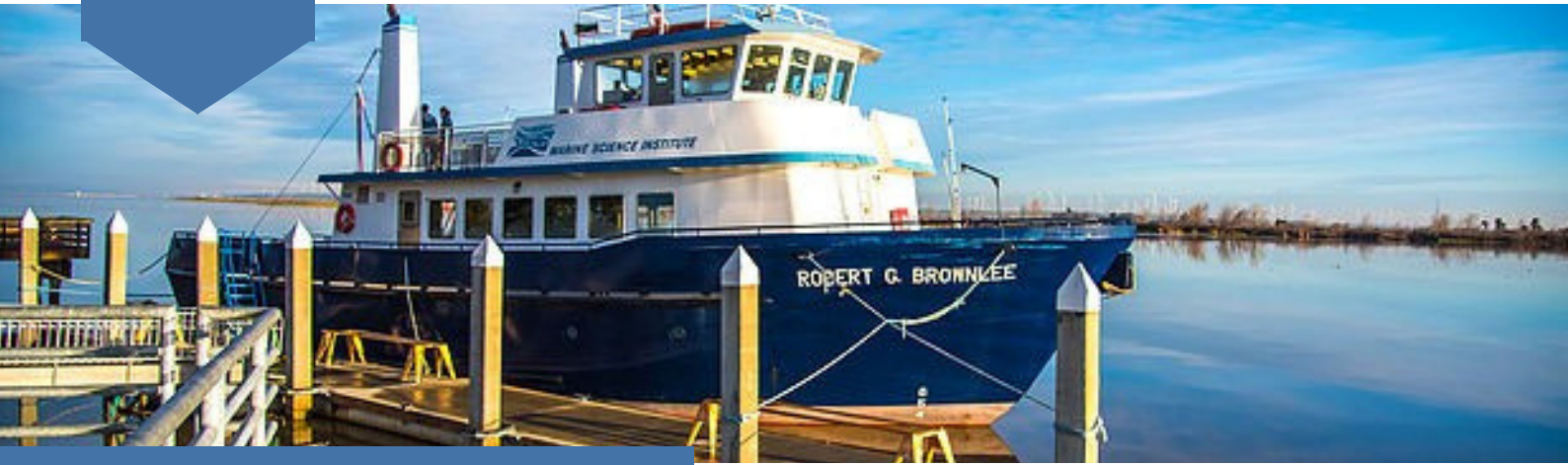
Council Districts at City Hall and inside the City Council Chambers which will be effective for the November 2020 General Election when Council Members will be elected By-District by registered voters living in each respective district. The position of Mayor is separately elected and will continue to be elected "At-Large".





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Public Works



Join us on [Facebook](#) to receive notification of Public Works projects.

Stop Illegal Dumping

Please help us STOP ILLEGAL DUMPING...spread the word about this free E-waste disposal service: Antioch residents can drop off E-waste and other hazardous waste products at NO CHARGE at Delta Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility on the Antioch-Pittsburg Highway; Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. To see what items can be dropped off, [Click here](#).



New Soccer Goals

Check out the new soccer goals at City Park located at W 10th and A Streets! The soccer teams could hardly wait to get playing – they jumped right in as soon as Public Works completed the installation.

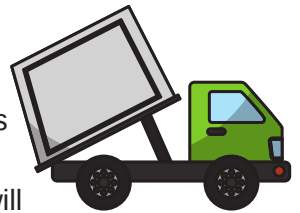


Park Ridge Model Homes

Model homes are open for viewing at Park Ridge Subdivision by Davidon Homes, located north of the intersection of Pinnacle View Way and Mountain Ridge Way, just east of Canada Valley Road, and at Heidorn Village Subdivision by Meritage Homes, located at the northwest corner of Heidorn Ranch Road and Prewett Ranch Drive. Homes in Davidon's Phase 1 have sold rapidly, and the release of Phase 2 is anticipated very soon.

Free On-Call Clean-Ups for Antioch Residents

Did you know Antioch residents get *two free on-call cleanups per year*? Republic Services will pick up as much as two cubic yards (about fourteen 32-gallon bags) of bundled trash per cleanup. You are also eligible for *two free bulky item pickups per year*! Bulky items are things like a fridge, a mattress or couch. Call Republic Services at 925-685-4711 for more information or to schedule a pickup. Please help us spread the word by letting your neighbors know about this service.



Contact Public Works

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

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

City Website: [Click Here](#) Phone: (925) 779-6950





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Economic Development

Share your Event

Does your business or organization have an event that you would like to share with the Antioch Community? We have added the capability for you to share your event on AntiochOnTheMove.com. If you have a business in Antioch running special promotions or sale, please create an event on our community events page! Test it out and give us your specials to share. [Click here.](#)



Antioch, California

Welcome to the City of Antioch a city on the move! See why people and businesses move to Antioch, we have a burgeoning population of professionals, a variety of housing, endless outdoor activities and thriving business hubs. Antioch is the second largest city in Contra Costa County with a population of over 114,000 residents. Families come to Antioch for its neighborhoods, parks, schools, and natural environmental beauty, drivers for an outstanding quality of life.

[READ FULL STORY](#)[VIEW WEBSITE](#)

Innovate Antioch

All you need to know about Antioch Sites, Buildings, & Community The City of Antioch has a great website to find all your needs for available sites, demographics, and other data needed to make Antioch your next move.



Join us for Winter Food Truck this Thursday, February 21!

This is the final Food Truck 3rd Thursday of the Winter Season and its being held at the Antioch Community Center & Water Park parking lot. Food Truck 3rd Thursdays is a kid, family, and pet-friendly community event with FREE admission. If you are interested in having your Food Truck or Dessert Truck at this event, or if you are a non-food vendor, please email info@foodiecrew.com.



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What's Happening in Antioch!

Healthcare for the Homeless

Are you or someone you know experiencing homelessness?

Services Available

- Cal-Fresh support
- Health care navigation
- Appointment scheduling
- Questions regarding Medi-Cal
- Information on local resources
- Transportation for medical appointments
- Medical insurance support and connection

Stop by one of the local libraries listed below for more information about services available and to talk to someone who can help.

- San Pablo Library: Every 2nd Monday 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- Concord Library: Every 2nd Monday 2 - 3 p.m.
- Antioch Library: Every 3rd Thursday 1 - 4 p.m.
- Walnut Creek Library: Every 3rd Friday 1 - 4 p.m.
- Pittsburg Library: Every 4th Thursday 1 - 4 p.m.

For more information, please call:
(925) 608-5300



Do you have Economic Business News to share?

Please email

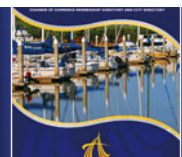
lzepeda@ci.antioch.ca.us for submittals and to share pictures, stories, links, or community events on our social media outlets.



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.



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Chamber of Commerce

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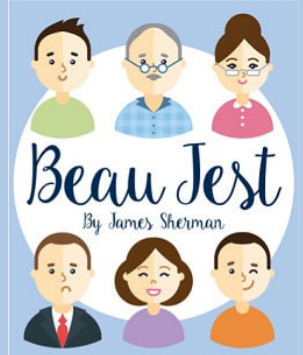
For more information about Business mixers, events, or memberships check out the website calendar

Chamber of Commerce Events

Vagabond Players Present **BEAU JEST**

A Comedy About Love,
Laughs and the Whole
Family. By James Sherman

Sunday February 24, 2019
2:00 p.m.



Adults: \$20 | Seniors 62 +: \$18 | Youth: \$15

No convenience fees - Save time later - buy online now. General Seating.

BEAU JEST is the hilarious, heartwarming story about Sarah Goldman, a beautiful young school teacher from Chicago who is involved with Chris, a great guy with just one apparent flaw, he's not Jewish. Sarah wants to please her parents, so she invents a boyfriend whom she believes will be the man of her mother's dreams.... And the fun begins!



Stained Glass Gospel Play

Presented by SignatureInk

Saturday February 23, 2019

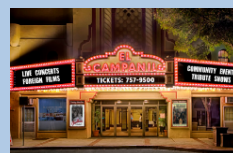
Show Starts: 7:30 p.m.

Tickets: \$30.00

Info: (510) 685-4089 or

email Kristina@signatureink.ink

For upcoming attractions click here



El Campanil Theater

602 W 2nd St, Antioch, CA.

Phone: (925) 757-9500

For website click here