



**OFFICE OF  
THE CITY MANAGER  
MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** March 4, 2016

**TO:** Mayor Harper and City Council Members

**FROM:** Steve Duran, City Manager

**RE:** City Manager's Weekly Report

**MEETINGS SCHEDULE**

<b>Date and Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>Saturday, March 5, 2016 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.</b>	Neighborhood Cleanup  Neighborhoods along Lopez Drive from Gentrytown Drive to Carmona Way	Lucerna Way and Lopez Drive
<b>Tuesday, March 8, 2016 7:00 p.m.</b>	City Council Meeting	City Council Chamber 200 H Street
<b>Thursday, March 10, 2016 6:00 p.m.</b>	Sales Tax Citizens' Oversight Committee Meeting	Police Department 300 L Street Community Room
<b>Wednesday, March 16, 2016 6:30 p.m.</b>	Planning Commission Meeting	City Council Chamber 200 H Street
<b>Thursday, March 17, 2016 7:00 p.m.</b>	Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting	City Council Chamber 200 H Street
<b>Monday, March 21, 2016 7:00 p.m.</b>	Crime Commission Meeting	Police Department 300 L Street Community Room
<b>Tuesday, March 22, 2016 7:00 p.m.</b>	City Council Meeting	City Council Chamber 200 H Street

## **NEIGHBORHOOD CLEAN-UP**

The Antioch Police Department is excited to announce the 69th 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.

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 68th Neighborhood Cleanup event will occur on Saturday, March 5th from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Lucena Way and Lopez Dr. We will be cleaning the neighborhoods along Lopez Dr. from Gentrytown Dr. to Carmona Way.

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!

## **APD RECRUITING VIPS**

The Antioch Police Department (APD) is recruiting Volunteers In Police Service (VIPS). These VIPS comprise a volunteer organization committed to assisting the Antioch Police Department in enhancing community safety by uniting volunteers and police department staff at the PD. More information is available at [www.policevolunteers.org](http://www.policevolunteers.org) and [www.ci.antioch.ca.us](http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us) or by email or phone: [dladue@ci.antioch.ca.us](mailto:dladue@ci.antioch.ca.us) (925) 779-6977.

## **CONGRESSIONAL UPDATE TOWNHALL**

U.S. Representatives McNerney and DeSaulnier are holding a joint town hall meeting on March 9<sup>th</sup> at Antioch Middle School from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. – 1500 D Street. To RSVP call (925) 754-0716 or (925) 933-2660. Come meet your Congressman.

## CITY CLERK UPDATES

Council agendas, including staff reports, are posted onto our City's Website 72 hours before the Council Meeting. To be notified when the agenda packets are posted onto our City's Website, simply click on this link: <http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/notification-systems/> and enter your e-mail address to subscribe. To view the agenda information, click on the following link: <http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/agendas/> and then click 'City Council'.

The regularly scheduled Board of Administrative Appeals meeting was held on March 3, 2016. The next regularly scheduled Board of Administrative Appeals meeting will be on April 7, 2016. The Board meets on a monthly basis – the first Thursday of every month, in the Council Chambers beginning at 3:00 p.m.

The City Clerk's office is accepting applications for the following Boards/Commission Vacancies:

- Sales Tax Citizens' Oversight Committee: 3 vacancies (2-yr term) exp. March 2018  
Extended deadline date to apply: 03/11/16
- Contra Costa County Mosquito & Vector Control District Board: 1 - Antioch Citizen Representative Vacancy. Deadline date to apply: 03/11/16
- Board of Administrative Appeals: 1 (2-yr term) Alternate Member vacancy.  
Deadline date to apply: 03/11/16
- Economic Development Commission: 1 partial-term vacancy, exp. June 2019  
Deadline date to apply: 03/25/16

Any interested resident is encouraged to apply. To be considered for these volunteer positions, a completed application must be received in the Office of the City Clerk by 4:30 p.m. on the dates listed above. Applications are available at [www.ci.antioch.ca.us](http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us) and at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 200 H Street, Antioch, CA 94509, (925) 779-7009, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Your interest and desire to serve our community is appreciated.

Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) **Form 700 "Statement of Economic Interests"** filers are reminded to submit their report for Calendar Year 2015 to the City Clerk's Office **no later than April 1, 2016**. Click on the link to obtain the Form 700: <http://www.fppc.ca.gov/Form700.html>. Please remember that an original, signed form is required for filing. E-mail reminders were sent out.

The City Clerk was contacted by the County Elections Office to discuss the possibility of setting up an early voting station at the Prewett Community Center. The County Elections Office is considering setting up 6 early voting stations around the County. Secretary of State Alex Padilla discussed this initiative with the League of California Cities' Administrative Services Policy Committee, on which City Clerk Arne Simonsen has been a member for the past three years.

The California Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>. If you have recently moved to Antioch or want to change your registration, Voter Registration forms are available at the Antioch City Clerk's Office on the first floor of City Hall. The forms are hanging on the wall and no postage is required to mail them. Antioch voters will be interested in two City of Antioch ballot measures and the races for District 3 and District 5 County Supervisor, along with the State Assembly, State Senate, Congressional, Senatorial and Presidential primaries. Get involved, register, study the issues, question the candidates and make your vote count!

On March 1<sup>st</sup>, the City Clerk rejected the Initiative submitted by Jim Lanter in January when the published Notice of Intent to Circulate Petition contained a different Title and Summary than had been provided by the Interim City Attorney to the City Clerk and given to the proponent. The only recourse was to start the initiative process all over again.

On March 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jim Lanter submitted a Notice of Intent to Circulate Petition to the City Clerk along with a request for the Interim City Attorney to provide a Title & Summary. The City Attorney submitted the Title & Summary for the Initiative submitted by proponent, Jim Lanter, to the City Clerk. The City Clerk provided it to the proponent for publication of the Notice of Intent to Circulate Petition in newspaper of general circulation (EC 9205) for Antioch (East County Times). The proponent must next submit the affidavit of publication of the notice of intention and ballot title and summary within 10 days after the date of publication (EC 9206).

Our office received 2 California Public Records Act requests this week and forwarded them to the appropriate departments for a response. One CPRA request from last month which involved over 200 pages of documents was completed.

## **HUMAN RESOURCES UPDATES**

### Recruitment Updates:

- Police Trainee and Academy Graduate physical agility test on 2/26/2016.
- Police Trainee and Academy Graduate accepting applications through 3/4/16 with another class starting to accept applications on the same date.
- Police Department made selections for Community Service Officers (CSO) and the hiring is in process.
- Lead Police Records Technician position accepting applications through 3/3/16.
- Community Development Department made a selection for a Code Enforcement Officer and the hiring is in process.
- General Laborer oral board interviews were completed on 2/23/16. Eligibility list submitted to the Community Development Department.
- Community Development Department and Human Resources are reviewing Development Services/Engineering Technician applications.

Currently open recruitments include:

- Police Officer Lateral (continuous)
- Police Academy Graduate/Student (continuous)
- Police Trainee (continuous)
- Lead Police Records Technician
- Animal Control Officer

The City's open recruitments can be found on the Human Resources page of the City website. Follow the appropriate link(s) to apply through NEOGOV.

## **INFORMATION SYSTEMS UPDATES**

- Work orders opened/completed for the week: 134/98
- Email filter activity: 18,557 processed, 8,945 automatically discarded do to violations pertaining to suspected virus's, spam, malware, fraudulent material, or isolated for staff to review and release, based on legitimacy.
- Team built virtual server for I.S. work order system.
- Team migrated I.S. work order system to new server.
- Team installed printer at Senior Center.
- Team replaced payroll/AP printer.
- Team attended Finance system training.
- Team generated end of month data archive backup tapes.
- Team installed label printers at Public Works and City Hall.
- Team restored deleted files.
- Team troubleshot county warning system in PD Dispatch.
- Team worked with vendor to evaluate needed repairs for PD community room equipment.
- Team relocated the livescan system at PD.

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT UPDATES

**Delta Diablo (Western Recycled Water Coalition) Wins Innovation Award** - On February 25<sup>th</sup>, The East Bay Economic Development Alliance and the San Francisco Business Times celebrated and bestowed awards upon companies that best contribute to the East Bay's culture of innovation. Each year, the East Bay Innovation Awards program celebrates the cutting-edge innovators in business that make the East Bay one of the preeminent regions of innovation in the nation. This year, Delta Diablo won an innovation award "Catalyst" for their efforts in processes and recycled water projects. The Catalyst award recognizes Delta Diablo for "transcending organizational boundaries to pull East Bay assets together in new ways and/or catalyze new thinking or processes".

This prestigious award was presented at the Fox Theater in Oakland, in front of an audience of hundreds from business, government and the non-profit sectors. The event was a result of months-long competition for the best use of innovation across eight industry sectors. Over 100 nominations for the eight categories were submitted. Mayor Wade Harper accepted the award on our behalf in his role as Chair of our Board of Directors. I intend to publicly share this award at a future Antioch City Council meeting during "public comment" period.

**Delta Fresh Foods Coming Soon:** A family owned company, Delta Fresh Operators LLC, will open soon in the recently closed Fresh and Easy building at Lone Tree Way and Golf Course Road. With 60 years of grocery experience, Harley and Dennis DeLano plan to open a neighborhood market with fresh meats, produce, organic products and prepared foods by April. Delta Fresh Foods will have cashier checkers, stockers and baggers, anticipating about 50 employees and is seeking to hire locally. The DeLano family owns two other grocery stores: Westlake Market in Davis and Fairfax Market in Fairfax.

Websites: <http://www.fairfaxmarket.net/> and <http://www.westlakemarket.net/>

### Milestones and Ribbon Cuttings:

Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> – Five Year Anniversary for Duckett Chiropractic, 1407 A St., Suite D, Antioch - 5:30-7:00 pm.

Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup> – Ribbon Cutting for Urban Jumble, 307 G. St. Antioch, 5:00 -7:00 pm.

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Name: CityofAntioch,CA  
Address: @AntiochCAgov

#### Check us out on Facebook!

Name: City of Antioch – City Hall

## ARTS & CULTURE

**Tall Ships are here!** Lady Washington and Hawaiian Chieftain have arrived at the City Marina. Check out the website for more details on ship tours. The two-hour excursions

feature a chance for guests to help raise a sail, learn a sea shanty, and take the helm of a real tall ship, conditions permitting. Tickets are available immediately at [www.historicalseaport.org](http://www.historicalseaport.org) or by calling 800-200-5239.

Antioch (City Marina): 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., Wednesday, March 9

Tickets are \$35 per person

The ships have also scheduled two-ship cannon battles and single-ship sailing excursions from these ports: Antioch: March 2-9.

No reservations are required for the walk-on tours, which are usually scheduled for 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday and Sunday.

**Sutter Elementary Art Exhibit at the Lynn House Gallery:** Students from Antioch's Sutter Elementary will showcase their original artwork at the Lynn House Gallery March 2nd-19th, on Wednesdays & Saturdays, from 1-4 PM. The showcase is open to the public at no cost. Please join us as we celebrate these talented young people. The exhibit continues through March 19th on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 1-4 PM.

**Lone Tree Elementary and Mno Grant Elementary Art Showcase:** Students will showcase their art from April 6th - 23rd. The Arts4Schools Program is sponsored by the Arts & Cultural Foundation of Antioch, the City of Antioch and a Cal Pine and Keller Canyon Mitigation Fund Grant from Contra Costa County Supervisor Federal Glover. In addition to sponsoring the gallery exhibit, the grant provides \$500 to each participating school to be used for art and cultural supplies and educational endeavors.

### **El Campanil Coming Attractions:**

#### **Delta Blues Festival Benefit Concert**

**Saturday March 5, 2016 – Time: 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm.**

We've turned up the heat this year and are bringing you some BIG talent. The DBF has arranged for international blues performers along with bay area local blues stars that will have you stomping' your feet, clapping your hands - maybe even after you leave the show!

#### **A Live Tribute to The Carpenters - Featuring Michelle Whited**

**Sunday March 6, 2016 - Time: 3:00 pm**

The popular singing duo of the 1970's and early 80's focused on mid tempo pop and ballads with Karen Carpenter's unique and expressive alto voice on lead vocals. Both Karen and Richard Carpenter contributed background voices which were overdubbed to create densely layered harmonies; an integral part of their signature sound.

#### El Campanil Theatre Contact Information:

602 W 2nd Street in historic downtown Antioch

Tickets are available online: [www.ElCampanilTheatre.com](http://www.ElCampanilTheatre.com)

Phone (925) 757-9500 or at the ticket office Monday – Friday from 10am- 2 pm

**Free Umpqua Bank Art Exhibit January - March Art Exhibit:** The Arts & Cultural Foundation of Antioch (ACFA) exhibit at Antioch's Umpqua Bank features five artists in the upcoming January - March Exhibit. The bank is a perfect venue for local artists to showcase their work, which changes every three months. November-December featured artists are: Gloria Cannon, Ken Tomlin, Beverly Prather-Martinez, Stanley Morgan, Joel Summerhill and Beverly C. Turner. Umpqua Bank is located at 3700 Lone Tree Way and is open Monday-Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM, excluding bank holidays. ACFA is currently seeking artists for the ongoing exhibit. If you are interested in participating, please email [Diane@Art4Antioch.org](mailto:Diane@Art4Antioch.org) or call Diane Gibson-Gray at (925) 325-9897.

## RECREATION UPDATES

- On Saturday, the Antioch Water Park opened for spring programs including Lap Swim, Water Aerobics, Parent-Tot Swim Time, and Recreation Swim. Swim lessons will begin early April. It is never too early to **BE COOL BY THE POOL** in 2016!
- On Thursday, the returning Water Park employees were fingerprinted and are in the process of completing their requirements for rehire. The water park employs 150 young adults during the season, and staff is still accepting applications. Throughout the week interviews were held for various seasonal positions.
- On Friday, staff implemented cross-training sessions for concession and front desk workers to improve efficiency and enhance job skills for seasonal staff.
- This week, staff began planning and coordinating the four lifeguard training and lifeguard review courses scheduled for March and April. There is still space available in these classes, encourage the young adults in your family to take the classes and apply for lifeguard jobs.
- This week, staff drafted application forms for the new Recreation Department volunteer program which will start this summer.
- On Monday, recreation maintenance staff received the new boiler for the Lap Pool. Staff is working to get the boiler installed and is anticipating the factory startup work to be completed early next week.
- On Monday, the City's plumbing contractor completed the installation of 4 new urinals in the men's locker room at the Water Park. The new urinals use ¼ of the water compared to the old units and will help the City in its water conservation efforts.
- On Monday, recreation maintenance staff completed troubleshooting work on the Sports Pool boiler's modulation valve. The valve has reached the end of its useful life. Staff has ordered a new valve and will complete the installation work when it is received.
- On Tuesday, recreation staff participated in the pre-bid job walk for the Sprayground and Playground Projects at Prewett Community Park.
- On Tuesday and Wednesday, recreation maintenance staff completed cement board patch work and sanding in the men's locker room. Staff also completed the installation of cove base tile around the same project area. After some additional minor repair work the men's locker room is ready for the season.



- On Thursday, recreation maintenance staff installed plumbing for the new Lap Pool Boiler and the New Lap Pool Chlorination system. Work will progress into early next week.
- On Monday, staff added many new aquatics classes into the ActiveNet registration system. These classes will have options for weekday and weekend swim lessons to help accommodate patrons' schedules.
- On Tuesday, new procedures for Water Park front desk operations were established; the head cashiers will begin training in the next few weeks.
- On Thursday, staff attended the Deer Valley High School open house to present the new Antioch Council of Teens (A.C.T.) to students and parents. Flyers will be distributed and all students will be invited to attend an informational meeting about A.C.T on May 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Antioch Water Park.
- Last week, registration continued for Spring programs. The entire family can **Soar Into Recreation** and enjoy dance, art, music and the Campfire & Stargazing nights.
- Staff began updating the slideshow for the Digital Signage in the Community Center Lobby for the Spring quarter. This electronic display is used to advertise and build awareness of new classes, activities and events in recreation.
- Last week, staff participated in a webinar on Customer Retention; Beyond Spring Registration. Topics covered included driving customer retention and loyalty, using automated tools, improving programs with data insights on patrons, nurturing loyal participants with targeted email and text campaigns and creating a delightful online experience for our citizens.
- On Tuesday, drop-in volleyball started up again for adults. No special skills are needed, just come for the exercise and fellowship every Tuesday evening.

### Senior Center Services

- Last week, 384 affordable healthy meals were served through the C.C. Café. Lunch and socialization help prevent heart attacks, depression, asthma and congestive heart failure. No membership or income requirements are required to eat at the C.C. Cafe. All supplies are provided by the County for participating cafes. Staff collects the daily nutrition deposits and submits them to finance
- On Monday, the March/April newsletter was mailed and emailed to seniors who are members of the Club or interested in participating in programs.
- On Monday, staff met with East Bay Regional Park District to explore future visits to Regional Parks including scholarships and transportation discounts.
- On Wednesday, over 20 seniors enjoyed the award winning movie "Spotlight." The Center is now offering new and exciting movie titles to meet everyone's interest. The movies are shown on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays of the month.
- On Thursday, Rising Sun Energy Services hosted a table to provide information about cost saving and energy resources for older adults. This group hopes to return monthly and engage with seniors and other visitors.
- On Thursday, AARP was on site to work with seniors on their 2015 tax returns. All available appointments were filled.

- Last week, The Senior Center doubled the amount of weekly Yoga classes to two (Tuesday/Thursday mornings). There is a new instructor, Amanda Garcia, who will be leading the Seniors through a comprehensive Yoga class.
- On Thursday, 7 seniors joined the Director for “Get Up and Go.” The group walked to the Police Department and enjoyed a special tour of the facility by the VIPs.
- To date the Senior Club has received new and renewal membership applications from 668 Seniors.

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT UPDATES

### Planning:

- Public inquiries responded to via email/phone/counter 90

### Building Permit Activity:

- Permits issued 55
- Inspections requested 132
- Public inquiries responded to via email/phone/counter 197

### Code Enforcement:

- Cases followed up on 75
- New Cases Open 34
- Posted sub-standard 2
- Citations Issued 3
- Warrants obtained and served 0
- Cases Closed 17
- Demand to Title for cost recovery 1
- Demands to property owners 3
- Special Assessment Liens recorded 1
- Prepare & record Release of Lien 6
- Phone messages reporting violations 31
- Web reports 27

- San Joaquin Ave – Posted sub-standard.
- Renwick Ln. – Posted sub-standard.

### Environmental Resources:

Environmental Enforcement: February 25<sup>th</sup> - March 2<sup>nd</sup> - 50 actions were taken on existing cases this week. Seven cases were closed, 10 abatement notices for 6 months of garbage service were mailed. Seven courtesy notices for abatement that have expired were also mailed out.

### Eco-Happenings:

- Save the Date: Lose a Lawn workshop scheduled for March 19<sup>th</sup> at Prewett Family Park. Staff is working in partnership with Contra Costa Water District to offer this free workshop to residents interested in learning more about rebate programs and design assistance for re-landscaping. **There are only a few spots left in this free workshop.** Pre-registration is required, visit [ccwater.com](http://ccwater.com) and go to the calendar.
- Save the Dates- Upcoming Eco-Events!
  - Spare the Air- Community Action Workshop, Wed, March 30<sup>th</sup>, 6-7:30pm at the Antioch Water Park.
  - Keep Antioch Beautiful Day is being planned for Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Join us for the largest citywide litter cleanup! Call Julie Haas-Wajdowicz at 779-7097 if you are interested in joining the planning committee!

### CDBG:

- The CDBG Council Subcommittee will meet at the end of March to make their recommendations for second year renewal funding. The 2016-17 Action Plan will go before the City Council May 10<sup>th</sup>.

### Housing:

- Training on the new CDS Housing Loan Compliance system will occur next week and data review will occur over the next few weeks.

### Homeless:

- The Council on Homelessness was saddened to learn that Doug Stewart was closing his homeless outreach agency at the end of this fiscal year. The City funds this agency to assist those who need shelter in the evening to be placed, conduct nighttime homeless outreach to encampments, and to provide a variety of services to persons who are homeless. The Council on Homelessness is working to secure similar services in the new fiscal year.
- The next General Meeting of the Contra Costa Homeless Continuum of Care is April 15, 2016, and all are invited. We will continue with panel presentations about the criminal justice system and homeless persons. Meetings are held in the ZA room at 30 Muir Road, Martinez from 10 am -12 pm.

### Drought Updates:

In February, Antioch Water Customers used 16% less than in 2013. This takes our cumulative total to 29.79% since last summer. We must maintain a minimum reduction of 28% cumulatively in order to stay in compliance with the State's drought regulations. These regulations were set to expire in February, however California is still experiencing severe drought despite recent rains. The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted on February 3, 2016, an extended and revised emergency regulation to ensure that urban water conservation continues in 2016. The regulation extends restrictions on urban water use through October 2016.

There are only a few spots left in the Lose a Lawn workshop scheduled for March 19<sup>th</sup> at Prewett Family Park. Staff is working in partnership with Contra Costa Water District to offer this free workshop to residents interested in learning more about rebate programs and design assistance for re-landscaping. Pre-registration is required, visit [www.ccwater.com](http://www.ccwater.com) and go to the calendar.

Drought enforcement:

Water Waste Complaints: **22**

How many public complaints of water waste or violation of conservation rules were received during the reporting month?

Contact Follow-ups: **15**

How many contacts (written or verbal) were made with customers for actual or alleged water waste or for a violation of water conservation rules?

Warning Actions: **15**

How many formal warning actions (e.g.: written notifications, warning letters, door hangers) were issued for water waste or for a violation of conservation rules?

Other Penalties Issued: **0**

How many penalties were issued for violations of local ordinances and/or the Water Boards' statewide prohibitions (e.g., watering on wrong day of week, letting water runoff into sidewalk/street, watering within 48 hours of a rain event, etc.)?

Irrigation Repairs and Service:

- Citywide Parks: All Park water is off, except as noted below. Chichibu Park is charged up to run again, but is scheduled off at the irrigation controller.
- Chichibu Park: A leaking shrub valve was repaired. Park water is back on.
- City Park: The soccer field turf is undergoing a complete renovation, and is temporarily closed to the public. Water is on for the soccer field only.
- Delta Diamond: The baseball field turf and infield is in the process of renovation at Gentrytown Park. The field is temporarily closed to the public.
- Gentrytown Park: A leaking turf valve was replaced. Water is on at Delta Diamond only.
- Mountaire Park: A leaking turf valve was repaired.
- Mira Vista Hills Park: A leaking quick coupler valve was repaired.
- Davison Dr. - Repaired 1 sprinkler.
- Colt Ct. - Repaired 1.25 inch irrigation mainline.

- Dallas Ranch Rd. - Repaired 1 sprinkler.
- Lone Tree Way - Replaced 2 inch irrigation valve.
- Hillcrest Ave. – Rebuilt 1.5 inch irrigation valve.

## **PUBLIC WORKS UPDATES**

### Administration

- Due to the current and predicted El Niño rains (we hope), Public Works has procured extra sand bags and sand, as well as ensuring staff is ready for action 24/7. The City website will have additional information about what the City is doing and how the community can better prepare for the possibility of a severe winter.
- February 2016 brings us to the end of the initial water conservation mandate issued by the State of California. The City of Antioch was required to conserve 28% based on 2013 usage through the month of February 2016. Thanks to your outstanding efforts, our total cumulative reduction since July 2015 is 29.78%. At the end of January 2016, the State extended its mandatory conservation order through October 2016. Final guidance is still being worked out as the State monitors the snow pack and reservoir levels through this winter. Please continue to conserve this valuable resource and plan on conserving throughout 2016. Outdoor water conservation will be the primary focus of the City's program, as well as fines for wasteful practices as identified in the Water Conservation Resolution adopted by the City Council on May 12th. All Antioch customers were mailed a letter explaining the program and prohibitions, as well as 2013 monthly water usage. Examples of prohibitions are: three day per week residential outdoor watering, no watering between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., shut off nozzles required on all hoses, and drinking water available only upon request at restaurants. Contra Costa Water District has incentives, such as residential high-efficiency clothes washer rebates, water-efficient landscape rebates and smart sprinkler timer rebates. More information on water conservation programs and ideas on how to conserve water can be found at [www.ccwater.com](http://www.ccwater.com) or [www.antiochwater.com](http://www.antiochwater.com). Customers who are not in compliance with drought restrictions can be reported to the Antioch Drought Hotline at (925) 779-6140.

### Engineering & Development Services

- Almondridge East Subdivision 8880, an 81-unit single family home development by KB Homes, located between East 18<sup>th</sup> Street and Oakley Road, east of Phillips Lane and west of the State Highway 160: Staff is reviewing plot plans for ongoing new home construction and provided a punch list for offsite improvements (bond reduction purposes).
- Buchanan Crossings Shopping Center, a 103,139 square foot commercial center on a 13.5-acre site located at the northwest corner of Somersville Road and Buchanan Road: CVS and Grocery Outlet stores are open for business and other building pads are in development and planning stages. Environmental clearances and

USBR permitting requirements for the Phase 2 development are in progress. Staff is processing a request for reimbursement for Somersville Road widening.

- City Sports Club, located at 5001 Lone Tree Way: Staff is reviewing building, parking lot and drainage construction for certificate of occupancy.
- City-owned cell sites, various locations: Staff is performing site visits and review of land leases, 100% construction drawings, consent letters, photo-sims and related technical reports and materials for equipment upgrades and site modifications.
- Laurel Ranch, a 186-unit housing development by Richland Communities, located at the eastern terminus of existing Laurel Road and west of Highway 4: Staff is reviewing the final development plan and preparing project conditions of approval. Staff is working with the developer to reduce illegal trespassing on the unimproved site.
- Nelson Ranch Subdivision 6893, end of Wildhorse Road: Staff performed a site inspection and provided a punch list in response to the developer's request for warranty bond release.
- Oakley Knolls Subdivision 9353, a 31-lot development by Discovery Builders, located north of Oakley Road 1,300 feet west of Phillips Lane: Engineering staff is participating with the planning staff on the review the environmental documents.
- Park Ridge Phase I, a 123-unit housing development by Davidon Homes, located west of Canada Valley Road and east of Highway 4: Final revisions to the subdivision map are being reviewed by the City's consultant. The developer has blocked illegal access to the property with K-rail.
- SR4 (Segment 2) Contra Loma Blvd. Interchange/'G' Street Overcrossing Project: The project has been presented to the State for acceptance. The eastbound Contra Loma Blvd. on-ramp will remain closed temporarily for SR4 mainline construction.
- SR4 (Segment 3A) 'A' Street/Lone Tree Way Interchange, Cavallo Road/Garrow Drive Undercrossing Project: Work continues on the 'A' St./Lone Tree Way interchange, the Cavallo Road Overcrossing and the new Sunset Drive from Bryan Avenue to "A" Street extension. Slope paving and sidewalk reconstruction is underway. Pedestrians and motorists are advised to exercise caution while travelling through these areas.
- SR4 (Segment 3B) Hillcrest Avenue Interchange and BART Tunnel Project: Work continues on the Hillcrest Avenue Bridge widening, the Pedestrian Overcrossing (POC) and the Maintenance of Works (MOW) Tunnel. Pedestrians and motorists are advised to exercise caution while travelling through this area.
- BART Parking Lot and Maintenance Facility: Staff approved the design for a proposed 12" sanitary sewer main from the new Maintenance Facility, north of the S.P.R.R. railroad line to the southerly extension of Willow Avenue and is reviewing grant deeds for public easement dedications. Staff returned comments to BART's Ownership and Maintenance of Utilities Agreement for storm drainage improvements.
- The Vineyards at Sand Creek, a proposed 641 unit housing development located on Sand Creek Road between Heidorn Ranch Road and Hillcrest Avenue: The tentative map has been approved by City Council.

- Quail Cove, a proposed 32 unit housing located on the south side of Prewett Ranch Drive west of Heidorn Ranch Road: Engineering staff is participating with the planning staff on the review the environmental documents.
- Aviano, an approved 533 unit housing development located west of the current terminus of Hillcrest Avenue, east and north of Dozier-Libby Medical High School: Staff is working with developer on the Chaparral Park expansion. The first phase of construction documents were submitted for review and have been returned to engineer for updating.
- Working with consultant on finalizing sewer study for the Sand Creek Focus Area.

### Capital Improvements Division

- Water Main Replacement at Various Locations: Trench patch paving on Sunset Drive has been completed. D&D Pipelines is completing the remaining punch list items.
- West Antioch Creek Channel Improvements: Staff and the Contra Costa County Public Works Real Property Division areas reviewing a purchase agreement with the Twenty-Third District Agricultural Association pertaining to land acquisitions within the footprint of the Contra Costa Fairgrounds. A revised purchase agreement is being developed for the properties located at 1400 and 1420 West 10<sup>th</sup> Street. A biological assessment is being reviewed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife.
- Zone I Transmission Pipeline Rehabilitation at HWY 4: A pre-design meeting has been conducted between Staff and RMC Water and Environment.
- Urban Water Management Plan Treatment: Staff is performing a water loss audit in accordance with AWWA standards.
- Water Treatment Plant Electrical Upgrades: Staff is reviewing a draft Electrical Field Reconnaissance memorandum submitted by TJC and Associates.
- Brackish Water Desalinization Plant: The State Water Resources Control Board is reviewing the application for a State Revolving Fund loan for the next phases of planning, engineering, and environmental certification.
- Water Treatment Plant Disinfection Improvements: The 30-day review period of the project's CEQA document concludes March 4<sup>th</sup>. Staff met with CDM Smith to review the 90% draft project plans and specifications.
- Country Hills Drive and Vista Grande Drive Water Main Replacement: A-S Pipelines, Inc. is compiling the required documentation for the execution of the contract for the installation of new domestic water facilities on Country Hills Drive from Vista Grande Drive to Canada Valley Road and Vista Grande Drive from Lone Tree Way to Country Hills Drive.
- 2015 Transportation Development Act (TDA) Grant: JD Partners completed the construction of 27 new curb ramps along Bluerock Drive and West Tregallas Road and additional ramps along San Joaquin Avenue. The City Council will consider the final acceptance of the project at the March 8<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- Transportation Impact Fee Study: Staff is working with the consultant, EPS, to finalize the land use forecasts and the transportation improvement list and network

to be used in the traffic model. The final draft Fee Study will be presented to the City Council for public review and comments in May 2016.

- Prewett Water Park Improvements: RHAA completed the design of the final improvements at Prewett Water Park. Staff received the project permit approvals from the County Health Department and the Fire Department. Project plans and specifications are available for purchase by logging on [www.blueprintexpress.com/antioch](http://www.blueprintexpress.com/antioch) or by calling BPXpress Reprographics at (707) 745-3593. The public bid opening for this project is scheduled for March 8th at 2:00 P.M. in the City Council Chamber located at 200 "H" Street. Staff held a Non-Mandatory pre-bid meeting with bidders for the project on March 1st at Prewett Park.
- North East Annexation Infrastructure Improvements: Staff is drafting a Request for Proposal for consulting services to provide engineering services and to prepare preliminary plans, estimates and studies for the planning and the design of infrastructure improvements needed to serve the newly annexed Area 1 and 2B.
- Pavement Management Technical Assistance Program (P-TAP) Grant: The City was awarded grant funding from MTC for consulting services to assist the City in implementing and maintaining the annual Pavement Management Program System by inspecting the pavement conditions of arterial, collector and residential streets and provide us with design recommendations for pavement rehabilitation projects.
- 2016 CalRecycle Rubberized Pavement Grant: CalRecycle has issued the Notice of Funding Availability for the Rubberized Pavement Grant Program. Staff has submitted an application for \$250,000 of grant funding for the 2016 Pavement Management Program, which will include potential streets recommended to receive Rubberized Cape Seal treatments.
- 2016 Transportation Development Act (TDA) Grant: MTC is soliciting applications for 2016/2017 TDA grants for Pedestrian and Bicyclist improvement projects. The City Council approved a resolution of support for the \$130,000 grant funding application at the January 12<sup>th</sup> meeting; the Parks and Recreation Commission approved a resolution of support at their January 21<sup>st</sup> meeting. The grant application includes funding for curb ramp upgrades to meet ADA requirements, installation of new sidewalks at needed locations and for bicyclist improvements along Cavallo Road, "A" Street, "G" Street, Putnam Street and Carpinteria Drive.
- Traffic Signal Improvements at Wild Horse Road/Folsom Drive and W. Tenth Street/L Street: Staff is preparing plans and specifications for a new traffic signal at Wild Horse Road/Folsom Drive and a traffic signal modification at W. Tenth Street/L Street. The bid package is expected to be out in April 2016.
- Staff received 13 statements of qualifications and proposals from traffic engineers, civil engineers and landscape architects/planners for on-call services and the L Street Path of Transit Corridor. Staff has reviewed the documents and established a list of consultants to perform these services on an as-needed basis.



### Water Treatment Plant

- Cleaned Solar Bees out on the municipal reservoir. Solar Bees circulate the water in the reservoir; cleaning the Solar Bees prevents weeds from restricting the circulation. Also cleaned the staff gage on the tower.
- Completed wiring for the new "B" sample pump.
- Installed support brackets on "B" basin for the covers over the tube settlers.
- Installed a new pump at Bear Ridge pump station.

### Water Distribution

- Water crews had 288 stops for water service including disconnections.
- Water crews had a total of 67 USA tickets completed for utility location.
- Meter reading has started for the month of March has started and is on schedule.
- There were four drought notices issued this week.
- The State Water Board has Extended Emergency Water Conservation Regulations thru October 2016.
- Water crews continue to monitor water meters, conservation and usage at all City buildings and parks.
- Water Distribution personnel continue to respond to drought hotline inquiries.
- Water field techs responded to customer calls regarding water maintenance issues City wide.
- Water crews replaced a water service on Tahoe Ct.
- Water crews replaced a 2" irrigation backflow on James Donlon Blvd. @ Contra Loma Blvd.
- Water crews repaired a 2" irrigation backflow on James Donlon Blvd.
- Water personnel attended HAZWOPER Emergency Response training.
- Water crews replaced a 2" irrigation backflow on Country Hills Drive.
- Water crews located a buried main line valve on S. Lake Drive and raised the utility iron.
- Water crews retrofitted 3" backflow and meter that supplies water to East Bay Regional Parks District.
- Water crews performed preventative maintenance on fire hydrants city wide.
- Water staff hauled off green waste for recycles as well as cleaned up debris at the City's Fulton yard.
- Water Distribution Operators attended training in preparation for State Water Distribution Exam on March 19<sup>th</sup>.
- Central Stores staff continues to remove graffiti from Amtrak platform and Fulton Shipyard Rd. boat ramp areas.
- Stores staff made 15 non stock item purchases for several different divisions/ departments in the City.
- Central Stores staff performed download of fuel transactions for the month of February.

### Public Works Operations – Parks and Landscape

- Playground and Park Safety Inspections: Completed at Chichibu, Dallas Ranch, Diablo West, Eagleridge, Hansen, Harbour, Mountaire and Mira Vista Parks. Follow-up inspections were completed at Heidorn and Meadow Creek Parks.
- Chichibu Park: Repaired a leaking shrub valve. The park water irrigation is on.
- City Park: The soccer field turf is undergoing a complete renovation and is temporarily closed to the Public. Water irrigation is on for the soccer field only.
- Gentrytown Park Delta Diamond: The baseball field turf and infield is undergoing renovation and is temporarily closed to the public. Replaced a leaking turf valve.
- Mira Vista Hills Park: Repaired a leaking quick coupler valve.
- Mountaire Park: Repaired a leaking turf valve.
- Tree Removal Permits: A Tree Removal Permit was issued for 4120 Chabot St.
- Irrigation: Repaired five irrigation leaks on City property.
- Leaf Removal: James Donlon Blvd. rights of way.
- Spot Spray: L St., Somersville Rd., Rio Grande Trail, Police Department, and James Donlon Blvd.
- Trim Crews: Water Treatment Plant, Treatment Plant Sludge Pond, and the Antioch Reservoir.

### Public Works Operations – Street Maintenance

- Graffiti Abatement: Removed graffiti from City property in numerous areas.
- Signs: Replaced 39 existing signs due to poor reflectivity.
- Lane Delineators: Replaced 2,050 raised pavement markers at various locations.
- Debris: Picked up 2.25 yards of debris in City rights of way.
- Potholes: Filled five potholes.
- Striping: Painted 169 stencils and 811 feet of 12 inch crosswalks.

### Public Works Utilities – Collections Division

- Calls for Sewer Service: Received and responded to four calls for service from the public. Responding crews televised 180 linear feet of public sewer laterals connecting to the City's sewer system.
- Sewer Mains: Daily preventative maintenance performed on over 29,294 linear feet of sewer main lines.
- Quarterly Sewer Main Cleaning: The route schedule is under review to increase inspection frequency of identified 'hot spots' and integrate a proactive preventative cleaning schedule for the 'hot spots.'
- Sewer Lateral Maintenance Program (SLMP): Crews repaired three laterals that were severely damaged requiring immediate repair. Crews televised four lateral(s).
- Manhole Inspection Program: Crews inspected 92 manholes. Manholes are inspected for loose lids, debris, locking mechanisms, and status of infrastructure for future maintenance and rehabilitation. We are updating the program and processes for integration in our computerized maintenance management system.

- Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) Reduction Program: Staff is working on formal inspection criteria to inspect manholes in rural areas. The use of “SMART Manholes” in strategic areas will be utilized that will alert leadership staff within the division of potential SSOs. This program will also address the need for locking mechanisms.
- Closed Caption Televising (CCTV): Crews televised 2,134 feet of sewer main lines. The CCTV Preventative Maintenance crew inspects sewer mains to identify the condition and causes of blockages and SSOs.
- National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES): Crews removed 108 yards of trash and debris and three shopping carts from various creeks and channels. Inspected, cleaned, and removed debris from v-ditches and abated weeds where our creeks and channels flow into the river. These activities ensure the City meets the Federal Clean Water Act requirements of municipalities discharging storm water into waterways.

#### Public Works Operations – Fleet Division

- Preventative Maintenance: 20 services on City vehicles as scheduled.
- Unscheduled Repairs: 45 unscheduled, necessary repairs to City vehicles.

#### Public Works Operations – Municipal Marina

- New Occupancy: The Marina has approved one permanent application, responded to four berthing enquiries and gave one facility tour.
- Maintenance: Painted curbs in the Marina parking lot. Removed debris and logs from the Marina basin. Secured the sink in the public restroom as well as various other repairs. In the process of repairing the pump out at the fuel dock.
- The [Lady Washington](#) and [Hawaiian Chieftain](#) will return this Wednesday, March 2nd - 9th to offer battle and adventure sails to the public. Weekday evening value priced tickets are available. More information can be found at: <http://historicalseaport.org>.
- Advertising and Outreach: Approved advertisements placed in Yachtsman magazine reaching over 40,000 boaters. Craigslist advertisements placed in Bay Area, Stockton, Sacramento, Monterey, and Santa Cruz listings. Advertising current fuel prices on Craigslist and the Marina website. Advertising annual boat launch ramp passes for \$100 on Craigslist.

#### Public Works Operations – Facility Maintenance Division

- Police Department: Replaced damaged ceiling tiles in the gym and hallway area.
- City Hall: Replaced the water heater in the second floor men’s restroom.
- Public Works: Repaired a City of Antioch monument sign on A St. and 6th St. Installed a new LED light in the stores building and restored power in the Maintenance Service Center lunchroom.

#### GIS

- Collections Clean Out Data Editing: Continuous.

- Collections Lateral Data Editing: Continuous.
- Service Address Data Editing: Continuous.
- Completed Collections IT Pipes/Lucity Integration.
- Water Treatment Plant Facility Map: 90% complete.
- Water Distribution Data Updates: 97% complete.
- Begin City Collection System Updates: 10% complete.
- Begin Citywide 2016 Imagery Update.

## **POLICE DEPARTMENT UPDATES**

- On 3/3/16 at 3:26 am, an officer was conducting an area check for an unrelated call on Rodeo Cir. when he observed a Saturn crashed into a tree in front of a home on Rodeo Cir. The vehicle's ignition was on and they located the driver, 19 year old Michelle White asleep behind the wheel. After a series of field sobriety tests she was determined to be under the influence of an alcoholic beverage and arrested. She was transported to county jail.
- On 3/3/16 at 3:18 am, the victim flagged down officers while walking on A St near Railroad Ave. The victim was bleeding from his head and stated he was just assaulted by 44 year old Frank Mello on Helmuth Ln. Mello was contacted at Helmuth Lane and admitted to the assault advising he was upset because the victim broke his Cuisinart scissors so he punched him in the face. The victim signed a citizen's arrest and Mello was arrested for the assault. Mello was released on a signed promise to appear.
- On 3/2/16 at 10:17 pm, officers were dispatched to the 5100 block of Arroyo Way for a report of a suspicious Toyota Prius parked in front of the location. While en route, the caller provided dispatch with the license plate which came back stolen out of Hayward PD. As officers arrived, the Prius drove past one of the officers and ended up circling around and driving back in front of the address. The driver, 22 year old Darrius Evans pulled over and was taken into custody without incident. When questioned about the vehicle, he explained that he rented the car from the original owner in order to be an Uber driver. This worked out well for several weeks until he could no longer make the rent payments. He then returned the car. The victim stated Evans did return the car but stole it two days later. Evans was booked and later sent to county jail.
- On 3/2/16 at 9:07 pm, an officer conducted a stop on a suspicious person riding a motorcycle. He recognized the driver to be 35 year old Cory Kautzman and knew him to be on parole. During a parole search, Kautzman had photos on his cell phone of him holding a revolver as of 3/1/2016. Kautzman also had an empty concealed holster for a small firearm in his inner jacket pocket. A search next to Kautzman near a bush is where an officer located a loaded .38Cal revolver which was the same one depicted on the cell phone. Kautzman was arrested without incident. He was booked into county jail.

- On 3/2/16 at 10:07 am, SOU Detectives were in the area of Fairview Ave and Somersville Rd when they saw 28 year old Justin Griffin in a newer vehicle and knew him to be a parolee-at-large. Griffin is a violent Norteno gang member. They also had information that he may be armed with a firearm, and that the vehicle was stolen. The vehicle (and Griffin's physical) matched that of the recent sedan that was taken in an armed carjacking at AMTRAK on 2/29/16. As officers arrived in the area Griffin immediately fled. While northbound on Somersville Rd towards HWY 4 Griffin attempted to cut through the Valero gas station. When he came out the other side he side-swiped another car which disabled his vehicle. Griffin fled on foot and was quickly caught on the run after discarding a taser. Griffin fought with officers in the parking lot of Auto Zone and was taken into custody after a brief confrontation. The vehicle was confirmed to be the one from the carjacking at AMTRAK. Griffin was medically cleared at a local hospital and he was booked into county jail. An officer injured his right hand during the incident.
- On 3/2/16 at 12:29 am, an officer was in the area of Contra Loma Blvd and Hwy 4 when he conducted a records check of a white Acura as it entered the on ramp to westbound Hwy 4. The vehicle turned out to be a stolen vehicle from BART in Concord. The officer followed the vehicle on Hwy 4 until cover units arrived and a traffic stop was conducted. The vehicle yielded on the off ramp to Harbor Dr in Pittsburg and a high risk stop was conducted. 36 year old Maquetta Sanders was the driver and stated she recently purchased the vehicle. She was arrested and sent to county jail on charges of auto theft and possession of stolen property. She also had an outstanding felony warrant for identity theft.
- On 3/1/16 at 2:44 pm, officers contacted 21 year old Adrian Morales seated in a vehicle with expired registration on D St and W 19<sup>th</sup> St. Morales was on felony searchable probation so a search was conducted. 1.7 grams of heroin was found on Morales. He was arrested and booked into county jail.
- On 3/1/16 at 10:11 am, Antioch Detectives were conducting follow-up on a case at 417 San Joaquin Ave when they observed a cold plated stolen vehicle nearby. They informed patrol officers of the stolen vehicle. Officers attempted to set up in the area to conduct surveillance of the vehicle but the vehicle moved as officers arrived in the neighborhood. An enforcement stop was conducted and the driver immediately stepped out of the vehicle with his hands up. 38 year old Earl Wyatt was taken into custody without incident and sent to county jail.
- On 2/29/16 at 8:30 pm, 3-20 year old victims were seated together in a car at Dallas Ranch Park. An unknown make or model silver sedan pulled in behind them and an unknown adult male approached them and asked if they wanted to buy marijuana. They told the suspect they were not interested and they went about their business as the suspect left. Approximately 1-2 minutes later the same vehicle returned and a male approached the driver door with a mask covering his face. The male pointed a hand gun at the victims and demanded all wallets and cell phones. The victims complied with the demands. There was approximately an hour delay in the victims reporting the crime as they went to Clayton to use a girlfriends phone to call police.

- On 2/29/16 at 2:22 pm, the victim came to the lobby today to report an armed carjacking that occurred at the First St. AMTRAK station on 2/28. The victim stated she was at AMTRAK to pick up a friend when she was approached by an adult male who was armed with a handgun. The male pulled her out of the vehicle while the keys were still in the ignition and then fled in the vehicle. The victim called a family member for a ride but did not think to call the police until today. The vehicle was a rental from Enterprise.
- On 2/29/16 at 3:19 pm, officers were working a two man proactive assignment in the area of 9<sup>th</sup> Street due to recent drugs dealing issues. They made contact with 23 year old Richard Bridges who attempted to avoid contact at first. During a pedestrian stop, Bridges was found to have a small amount of heroin in his possession. He was cited for drug possession.
- On 2/28/16 at 11:10 pm, an officer was in the area of Cavallo Rd and W Tregallas Rd when he observed a black Honda sedan traveling with no headlights struggling to maintain a lane. The officer initiated an enforcement stop on the vehicle and contacted the sole occupant 21 year old Jesus Garcia. Garcia showed objective symptoms of being under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. Field sobriety tests were conducted and Garcia was subsequently placed under arrest as a result of his performance. Garcia was transported to county jail for DUI where he consented to a blood draw.
- On 2/28/16 at 4:28 pm, an officer located a suspicious occupied vehicle parked in front of 617 W 19<sup>th</sup> St. with several possible Norteno gang members around it. As the officer drove closer, the vehicle sped off at a high rate of speed. A traffic stop was attempted, but the vehicle failed to yield to the officer. The driver 38 year old Amadeo Garcia pulled into the driveway of the Baywood apartments on San Jose Dr. and was taken into custody without incident. Garcia was on searchable probation. The officer searched Garcia and located an empty gun holster and several .38 caliber rounds of ammunition as well as gang paraphernalia in the vehicle. He was transported to county jail.
- On 2/28/16 at 8:05 am, an officer conducted a traffic enforcement stop of a vehicle driven by 27 year old Richard Cordova. During the stop, the officer learned Cordova was on felony searchable probation. A probation search of the vehicle was conducted and Cordova was found to be in possession of 271 Xanax pills and \$480 in cash. He did not have a prescription for the pills. He also admitted to having text messages in his phone that would suggest he was furnishing the pills to other persons, but refused to allow the officer access to the phone. Cordova was arrested and sent to county jail. His phone, money and pills were booked in evidence.
- On 2/28/16 at 4:11 am, Contra Costa Fire and APD officers responded to a reported vehicle fire in the parking lot of Antioch Auto Diagnostics at 808 W 10<sup>th</sup> St. A Lincoln Town car was found fully engulfed in the lot. A Ford Fiesta next to it also caught fire. A gas can nozzle was on the ground nearby with the melted gas can on the roof of the Town car. A Contra Costa Fire arson investigator responded and took over the investigation. No one from the business or the vehicle owners could be located at the time.

- On 2/27/16 at 9:27 am, an officer contacted 32 year old Joseph Cannon in the 600 block of W 19<sup>th</sup> St. During a search Cannon was found to be in possession of a small amount of methamphetamine. Cannon was and later released pending lab results after being interviewed.
- On 2/27/16 at 2:19 am, officers responded to a report of debris in the roadway at Lone Tree Way and Deer Valley Rd. Upon arrival, a city light pole was found knocked down in the center median with vehicle debris and shrubs all over. In the vehicle debris, there was the front license plate of the responsible vehicle. Officers responded to the registered owner's address and found the totaled Honda in the driveway. 19 year old Maria Orocio and her father, Gustavo, were contacted at the residence. Maria stated she was driving and had just dropped off a friend and was heading home. She and her friend were coming home from partying in Oakland. While there she had consumed an unknown amount of alcohol. She was heading home from her friend's house when she blacked out and crossed over the center median and struck the light pole. She recalls coming to and continuing to drive home and parking her car in the driveway. She stated that is when the police arrived at their house. Orocio was not injured, but her car was totaled. She had the strong odor of alcohol on her breath. She submitted to a preliminary alcohol screening and was found to be over the legal limit. Based on the information and her admission to driving, Orocio was arrested and brought to APD for a blood draw. She complied and was released from APD to her father. Corp Yard responded to pick up the pole.
- On 2/27/16 at 2:58 am, 28 year old Darrius Carley began causing a disturbance at the Holiday Lodge located at 1500 W 10<sup>th</sup> St. He called for APD assistance. Due to all officers being tied up on other calls and not responding immediately, Carley called again and added that there was a subject with a knife in the parking lot. When the response was still not to his liking, he called back and stated people were in the motel bleeding from being assaulted by an unknown subject with a knife. Once officers arrived, they confirmed there was never a fight or an assault. Carley was found to be intoxicated in his room and stated he made the assault and knife claims to get officers there faster to help him get his money back for his room. Carley was arrested and cited for making a false report.
- On 2/27/16 at 12:25 am, officers were dispatched to the apartments located at 3421 Hudson Ct on a report of an assault. Upon arrival, it was discovered 38 year old Adrian Gutierrez had arrived home after consuming some alcoholic beverages. His next door neighbor was music playing, which upset Gutierrez. Gutierrez went and knocked on the neighbor's door, and when she opened it Gutierrez poked the neighbor in the chest with his finger as he entered her apartment. The neighbor grabbed a wooden stick and hit Guterrez in the head two times in fear of him. Gutierrez suffered swelling to his forehead and an ambulance responded to the scene. Gutierrez was ultimately arrested for battery and public intoxication and sent to county jail.
- On 2/26/16 at 4:20 pm, officers were dispatched to JC Penney's on a report of an armed robbery. Upon arrival, it was discovered a male entered the store and stole large amount in fragrances and exited the store without paying. Loss Prevention

attempted to stop the male in the parking lot. The male pulled out a set of brass knuckles and told loss prevention to "come and get it." In fear, loss prevention let the male flee; however, they were able to obtain a license plate on the male's vehicle. Officers did some follow up and discovered a possible suspect. The case is still being investigated by officers with additional follow up needed.

- On 2/26/16 at 11:00 am, officers did some homework on 5113 Ebbetts Wy due to several stolen vehicles recently being recovered near this residence and found that it was a problem house. A probation search was executed and several subjects were contacted inside. The location was found to be a chop shop and there were car parts (license plates, doors, radios, removed VIN's, rims, tires, etc.) lying about everywhere in the side and backyards and in the garage. A CHP auto theft investigator responded and opened a case and assisted with our investigation. A firearm was also recovered from the backyard. At the end of the investigation, 36 year old Andrew Diaz was arrested on warrants and possession of stolen property. 31 year old Christian Robbins and 21 year old Casey Whitlatch were arrested on warrants and stolen property charges. They were all transported to county jail.
- On 2/26/16 at 1:39 am, officers were conducting a security check of the Days Inn located at 1605 Auto Center Dr when they saw 33 year old Karen Walker and 35 year old William Portillo pull into the lot and park in a handicap parking stall and exit their SUV. One officer recognized both of them and they were contacted. During the contact, a probation search was done and Walker was found to have a two credit card magstirp machines and several stolen identities. A subsequent search of Portillo and the rest of the SUV located a large sum of money and paraphernalia indicative of narcotics use and sales. A search warrant was obtained for Portillo's motel room. More evidence was recovered related to sales. Both were booked into county jail.
- On 2/25/16 at 7:45 pm, Officers were dispatched to a call of shots fired at the Dollar General store at 20 W 10<sup>th</sup> St. While en route, updates were coming in of two vehicles involved in the parking lot; a white Jeep Cherokee and silver Cadillac. According to the reporting parties, the driver of the Jeep shot twice at the driver of the Cadillac and both vehicles fled prior to our arrival. We did locate one 9mm shell casing at the scene. An extensive area check was conducted and several white Jeeps were contacted but found not to be involved. Area hospitals were notified but so far no victims have come forward.
- 2/25/16 at 10:32 am. On 2/23/16 an electric golf cart was stolen from Sutter Delta Hospital by two males. Today, dispatch received a call regarding a male recklessly driving a golf cart on Carpenteria Dr towards Safeway. An officer located the golf cart parked in front of Safeway and conducted surveillance until 31 year old Faafouina Tinoifili got into the cart and drove off. Tinoifili was stopped in the parking lot and arrested. He admitted to stealing the golf cart because he was high on methamphetamine and didn't feel like walking. Tinoifili was transported to county jail and the cart was returned to Sutter Delta.



Calls for Service and Arrest Data:

Time Period:	02/25/16 00:00:00 – 03/02/16 23:59:59		
Number of Calls for Service:			1,715
Number of Case Reports:			304
Number of Arrests:			85
	Felony:		40
	Misdemeanor:		45
	Arrests with DUI charge:		3
<i>The data is based upon unaudited CAD/RMS data at time of report generation.</i>			

**CITY MANAGER’S NOTES**

On Monday, Public Works Director/City Engineer Ron Bernal, Community Development Director Forrest Ebbs and I joined Mayor Harper, Mayor Pro-Tem Lori Ogorchock, Council Members Rocha, Tiscareno and Wilson along with other city, county, state and federal officials and representatives to celebrate the Ribbon Cutting for the new ramps directly connecting State Route 4 with State Route 160 with Caltrans, the Metropolitan Transportation Authority and the Contra Costa Transportation Authority. This is an important milestone for transportation and economic development in east Contra Costa County.

Thursday afternoon, I joined Mayor Harper, Mayor Pro-Tem Ogorchock and Council Member Wilson for the Chamber of Commerce Ribbon Cutting at new The Fellowship Church on Lone Tree Way. This was the Orchard Supply Hardware that has been closed for years. It is now a beautiful new church with a sanctuary that seats nearly 1,000. Congratulations!

Thursday evening, Mayor Pro-Tem Ogorchock and I joined Mayor Harper at the monthly Contra Costa Mayors Conference, which was held in Lafayette. The main discussion items were the potential merger of the Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA) and the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG). The key issue for the cities is maintaining

local control of city planning. There was also an update on the ½ cent sales tax measure that the Contra Costa Transportation Authority may place on the November ballot for major capital projects. Proposed projects that would benefit Antioch include improvements to the State Route 4 – Interstate 680 interchange and the “239 Tri-Link Connector” that would link State Route 4 to Tracy and the San Joaquin Valley. “Return to Source” funding would also be available from the proposed measure for local Antioch transportation projects under City control.

This morning, I spoke to the “Friday Morning Breakfast Club” about the Rivertown Revitalization Initiative and answered questions on a wide range of City topics. The FMBC is a politically diverse group with diverse perspectives and opinions. They meet monthly to discuss Antioch issues. ‘Much better than the debates on TV lately and more civil as well.