



Mayor and Members of City Council

This is the City Manager's Report for the week of June 3, 2019

City Manager

Homeless Encampment Task Force

Hosted by Mayor Pro Tem Motts and Council Member Thorpe, I attended the day-long Homeless Encampment Task Force meeting. Several panels, including one, made up of Chief Brooks, Public Works Director Blank, Community Development Director Ebbs and Animal Services Manager Harding, presented the ways they interact with and attempt to assist the homeless, or as Council Member Thorpe began referring to them as unhoused residents in an effort to provide information to the City Council Members who will take this testimony back to the full Council for their consideration and next steps. The next meeting of the subcommittee will be June 10th at 6:00 p.m. at the Antioch Community Center.

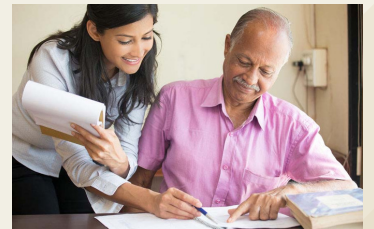


Road and Median Improvements

So much is being done to improve the appearance around Antioch this week. Lone Tree Way is being resurfaced to provide a smoother, better quality product. Medians on Somersville Road and Lone Tree Way are being re-landscaped, and Caltrans is continuing to work on landscaping the interchanges and medians at Highway 4 and Somersville Road/ Auto Center Drive. One of City Council's priorities is clean up and beautify our City. Expect to see more of this type of activity around Antioch during this summer.

Senior Services

Hosted by Mayor Wright and Council Member Ogorchock, along with Parks and Recreation



Director Kaiser and Recreation Specialist Cabral I attended the Senior Services Subcommittee meeting to discuss the needs of our senior population. The discussion focused on areas on needs in the senior community and what the City can do to provide an improved experience and better services.

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Police

2019 MADD Awards

Officer Shane Cole,
Detective Kelly
Inabnett, and Officer
Jon Cox (not present)



were honored at the 2019 MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) awards for leading the Antioch Police Department in impaired driving arrests. MADD provides these awards to departments each year recognizing officer's efforts in getting these dangerous drivers off of our streets. Thank you, Officer Cole, Officer Cox, and Detective Inabnett for doing your part in keeping our community safe!



Police Academy Graduation

Last Friday, Chief Brooks attended the Police Academy graduation for Class 187 of the Contra Costa County Office of the Sheriff Law Enforcement Training Center. He was on hand to present our two newest officers, Ricardo Angelini and Caesar, Tanguma with their certificates. Officer Angelini won the Top Driver Award for their class during the 26-week course. We are happy to welcome them as the newest members of the APD Family, and they are both very excited to begin serving our community!

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Police- Animal Services

Come meet Joe!



Every once in a while, a dog enters Antioch Animal Services that genuinely tugs on our heartstrings. Joe is one of those dogs. To look at him, one is filled with all sorts of questions. Is he suffering?

How can he be, when he is always smiling and gives you a wag of his tail when you greet him? Is there something medically wrong with him to cause all those masses? And, what about that distended belly? Although he looks a little rough around the edges, Joe wolfs down his food contently, and he doesn't show any signs of distress, so we're not sure what is really going on with him.

What we do know, is that Joe is older (approx. 10 -14), and although he's not the most "vibrant" dog in our shelter, he is such a good boy! Joe isn't one to demand long walks or require too much exercise, but he needs companionship, and home with a comfy bed to call his own. Surely there is someone out there who understands, and is willing to open their hearts and home to this senior dog, with a heart of gold! If you are interested in adopting or fostering, Joe, come see us at the Antioch Animal Shelter, 300 L Street.

Human Resources



Hires/Re-classifications/Promotions:

- Caesar Tanguma and Ricardo Angelini were sworn in as a Police Officers on Mon., Jun. 3, 2019.

Please join me in welcoming these employees 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)
- Water Treatment Instrument Technician I/II
- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (part-time)

Please check our website for the opening of the following future recruitment's:

- Youth Services Network Manager (part-time, limited term)
- Code Enforcement Officer

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 <http://antiochca.gov/Human-Resources>.

Click on Job Opportunities or Promotional Opportunities, click on the job Position, [click on Apply](#).



Recreation

Calling all Volunteer Coaches

Junior Giants is still accepting registration for the 2019 season, and staff is actively seeking new volunteer coaches to mentor and coach boys and girls ages 5-13. The Junior Giants league is a truly unique baseball program for children and is free to all participants. It is a non-competitive league that places a higher value on character than on wins and losses. The Antioch Junior Giants league is sponsored by the Antioch Police Activities League. Jersey's and ball caps are provided to everyone! Come join the fun!



Senior Smartphone Assistance

On Wednesday, instructors from California Phones Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program visited the Senior Center to teach our seniors how to navigate their smartphones. The instructors taught basic lessons on user functions, hand techniques, voice commands, and understanding how to control phone settings. It was another successful gathering that our seniors were grateful for, and enjoyed!

CoCo Cafe'

Last week, 420 affordable healthy meals were served through the CoCo Café. This program helps prevent heart attacks, depression, asthma, and congestive heart failure. There are no memberships or income requirements to eat at the CoCo Café. Interested participants must only register with the County Program at the Antioch Senior Center. The County provides all supplies for participating cafés.

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Community Development

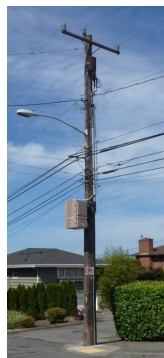
Environmental Services

Do you have more garbage or recycling than will fit in your carts? Maybe it's time to schedule an extra pickup. As part of your single family garbage service, residents can schedule two on-call garbage cleanups of up to 14 bags, two large items and three recycling on call appointments for cardboard or yard waste. These are available every calendar year and need to be scheduled for your regular service day. To schedule a pickup, call Customer Service at (925) 685-4711 or visit their link [here](#).



Planning- New Ordinance

On June 11, 2019, the City Council will consider a new wireless telecommunications ordinance that would direct how the City of Antioch regulates future cellular telephone equipment. Federal and State laws already preempt much local control, and the City's proposed ordinance



would organize and clearly define the City's role moving forward. In the future, much of the cellular equipment will be mounted on existing utility poles, as in the photo below. The City's new ordinance will press installers to install more discrete equipment in these cases.

Planning - Approved Project

On May 28, 2019, the City Council approved a new commercial and light industrial project at the intersection of E. 18th Street and Drive-In Way. The project site contains 19.75 acres and will be developed to include new commercial buildings with a potential hotel, a self-storage facility, and a light industrial subdivision to be developed in the future. This project, along with the recently-approved housing development across the street represents a significant improvement to this part of E. 18th Street. The area will be dramatically different. This project, in particular, will provide new opportunities for jobs growth, small businesses, and tax generation.



City Clerk

Get informed, get involved and **VOTE**.

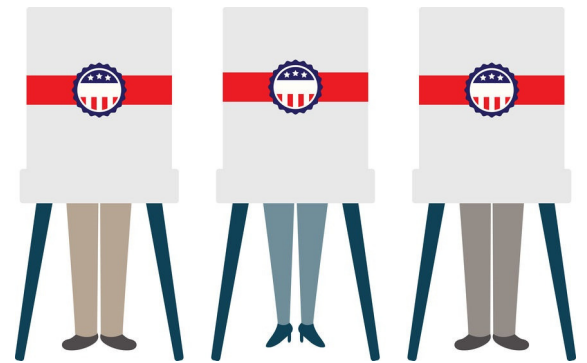
Register to vote online or update your current registration. Voter Registration forms are also available at the City Clerk's Counter with free postage.

You are eligible to register to vote if you are:

- A United States citizen,
- 18 years of age or older on Election Day,
- Not in prison, on parole, serving a state prison sentence in county jail, or serving sentence for a felony, and
- Not found to be mentally incompetent by a court of law.

You need to update your voter registration if you:

- Move to a new residence,
- Change your name, or
- Want to change your political party affiliation.



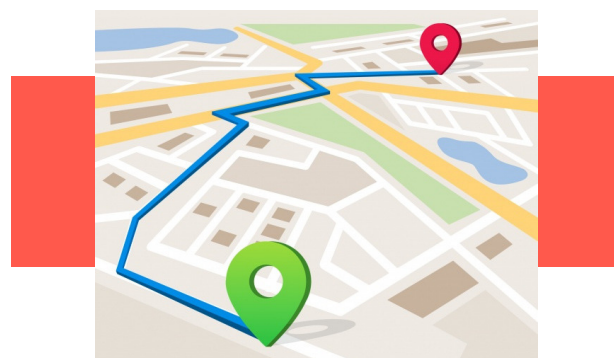
City Council Meetings

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. *The first Council Meeting in July is canceled due to Summer Break.* At the May 14, 2019, Council Meeting, Council approved to cancel the July 23, 2019, Council Meeting due to no

quorum. 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, click on this link: <https://www.antiochca.gov/notifications/> and enter your e-mail address to subscribe. To view the current and past agenda information, click on the following [here](#).

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 elected "At-Large".



Public Works

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

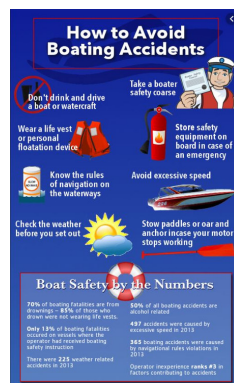


Road improvements: Golf Course Road & Lone Tree Way

The final micro surfacing application on Golf Course Road and Lone Tree Way began this past week. Golf Course Road is complete, and Lone Tree Way will continue through next week. To minimize impacts to the public, crews will work through the night on Lone Tree Way (8:00 p.m. – 6:00 a.m.). The work may have to move to daytime hours if the contractor is not able to meet the City standards in the dark hours. Day or night, the roads will remain open with some lane closures; only minor traffic delays are expected during construction. We expect to stripe the roadway two weeks after the entire micro surface is applied projected to be at the end of June (weather permitting). We will keep you posted on the project here and on the [Public Works Facebook page](#).

Antioch Marina Kicks Off Boating Season

KRON 4 News was at the Antioch Marina over Memorial Day weekend to interview boaters and remind everyone of some important boating safety tips. View the video [here](#).



Median Landscape Improvements

Contracted crews are installing new plants and irrigation in the medians on Somersville Road between Fairview Drive and Delta Fair Boulevard. This is the beginning phase of our median enhancement project; we will keep you posted on our progress and locations and post photos as they become available. Thank you for your patience, and please keep an eye out for the cone zone.

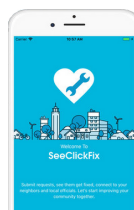
New Therapeutic Swing

City Park features a new therapeutic swing that has been very well received. We also replaced another swing that had gone missing. We are happy to have the swings ready for the little ones to enjoy. Please share this information if you know of a little one who might enjoy the therapeutic swing.



More Boating Safety Tips:

- Take a Boating Course
- Get a Free Vessel Safety Check - complimentary boat examinations
- Follow a Pre-Departure Checklist
- Be Weather-Wise
- Know the Nautical Rules of the Road - USCG's Navigation Rules information page.
- Designate an Assistant Skipper
- Develop a Float Plan - float plan
- Make Proper Use of Life Jackets - USCG resources
- Avoid Alcohol
- Be Aware of Carbon Monoxide
- Skip Swimming in a Marina
- Stay Clear of the Engine



Contact Public Works

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

Email: publicworks@ci.antioch.ca.us

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



Economic Development

SFGATE

Part of the branding media plan effort you might have seen articles in SF Gate about Antioch below are 2 recent articles. **The 31 underrated restaurants around the Bay Area — Antioch's Smith's Landing (slide 34)** [Click Here](#)

Antioch: A City of Opportunity [Click Here](#)

East Bay Leadership Council

On Tuesday, May 28th, Kwame Reed, Economic Development Director, attended the first Moving Meeting of the EBLC. The Economic Development Task Force met at the North Concord BART station and rode the train to the Antioch BART station. The group included BART Board of Directors, BART staff, County staff, and city staff representatives of Concord, Pittsburg, and Antioch.



Each city had the opportunity to share development ideas that are planned around their stations. On Wednesday 29th, the EBLC held its third East Bay Leadership Series that featured Secretary of State Alex Padilla. Secretary Padilla spoke to the attendees about the importance of voter registration and the upcoming 2020 census. Kwame Reed attended the event held on the San Ramon Bishop Ranch campus.

Wine Spectator



Local Vineyard

It was recently brought to staff's attention that Antioch's very own Evangelho Vineyards was highlighted in the magazine.

In the recent issue, the Bedrock Wine Company's (owner of the vineyard) Evangelho Vineyard Heritage Zinfandel of Contra Costa County 2017, scored a 94 and placed in the top 10 of Tim Fish's Recommended California Zinfandels list. The Evangelho Vineyard is located on East 18th Street and features some of the oldest grape vines in the state dating back to the late 1890s.

Innovate Antioch

The Economic Development Department recently upgraded the property locator function that can be found on the www.innovateantioch.com website. The property database now contains over 130 retail, office, and industrial spaces currently available for lease or purchase in Antioch. As a reminder, www.innovateantioch.com contains information on Antioch's demographics, businesses, mapping, and community comparisons.



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What's Happening in Antioch!

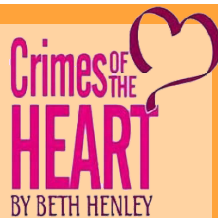
The Vagabond Players Present Crimes of the Heart

Sunday, June 9, 2019 | 2:00 p.m.

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

Youth (Under 18): \$15

The scene is Hazlehurst, Mississippi, where the three Magrath sisters have gathered to await news of the family patriarch, their grandfather, who is in the hospital. Lenny, the oldest sister, is unmarried; Meg, the middle sister, is back after a failed singing career on the West Coast; while Babe, the youngest, is out on bail after having shot her husband in the stomach.



For upcoming attractions at
El Campanil [click here](#)

El Campanil Theater
602 W 2nd St, Antioch
Phone: (925) 757-9500
For website [click here](#)

Antioch CONCERTS BY THE RIVER

in Historic Downtown Antioch

- July 13 - Big Jangle**
Tom Petty Cover Band
- July 27 - Breakfast Klub**
80's
- July 20 - Delta Wires**
Horns & Blues
- August 3 - Retroactive**
60's & More
- August 10 - Juke Joint**
Classic Soul
- August 17 - The Purple Ones**
Prince Cover Band

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What's Happening in Antioch!

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.



Antioch Chamber of Commerce

For more information about Business mixers, events, or memberships check out the website calendar [Chamber of Commerce Events](#)

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.



Celebrate Antioch Foundation, and Antioch's Rivertown Merchants are Proud to Present the **Rivertown Father's Day Show!**
Sunday, June 16, 2019

Check-In Between 9:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Show/Judging is from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Awards held at 3:00 p.m. Car Show will be at the City Hall Parking Lot at 200 H Street Antioch, CA 94509 - Enter Event on 2nd Street. \$25 Entry Fee - Subject to Space so Reserve your Spot today [here!](#)