

Mayor and Members of City Council

This is the City Manager's Report for the week of June 17, 2019

City Manager



Public Manager's Association

I attended the Public Manager's Association meeting, where legislation making its way through the State legislature as well as the proposed CCTA sales tax measure were discussed. I will be a part of a subcommittee of City Managers that will be providing recommendations to the CCTA Board related to the proposed March 2020 sales tax measure.



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Contra Costa Transportation Authority

Along with Council Member Wilson, who serves as Ex-Officio for Public Transit Bus Operators, I attended the CCTA (Contra Costa Transportation Authority) Special Meeting. The Initial Draft Transportation Expenditure Plan (TEP) was discussed as it relates to a proposed new ½ cent sales tax measure that would be on the March 2020 ballot. This measure would be a follow-up to Measure X, which failed to obtain voter approval in 2016. This \$3B Countywide transportation measure would be in addition to the current ½ cent sales tax passed by voters for Measure J.

Homeless Encampment Task Force

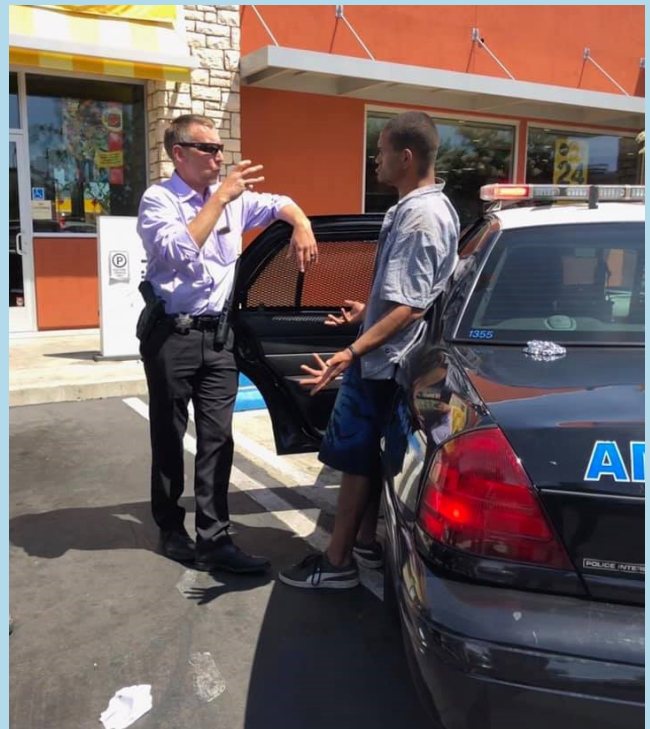
I attended the Homeless Encampment Task Force Series 2 of 4 meetings. Lead by Mayor Pro Tem Motts and Council Member Thorpe; the discussion focused on ideas and solutions for the problems the homeless of Antioch are encountering. Six break-out groups discussed and listed possible solutions and presented them to the group. The purpose of the subcommittee is to gather information and provide recommendations for steps moving forward to the City Council in August. Date of next meeting to be determined.

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Police

End of Year Celebration at Rocketship Academy

The Administration from Rocketship Academy in Antioch reached out to invite us to their end of the school year celebration they call "Field Day." Our response? A chance to celebrate with some great students and staff members on their last day of school? Yes, please! We hope all the kids at Rocketship, and all the students from the schools in our community, have a safe, fun summer!



Communication

One of the things we pride ourselves on is being able to communicate with all our community members effectively. We recently came across a hearing-impaired individual who needed police assistance. Luckily, for us, Sergeant Stenger is fluent in American Sign Language (ASL). Additionally, we have officers who speak: Spanish, Hmong, Korean, Mandarin, Farsi, Indonesian, Portuguese, and Tagalog serving our community.



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Police- Animal Services

National "Foster a Pet Month"

Antioch Animal Services is celebrating National "Foster a Pet Month" with the Petco Foundation and Skechers' charity footwear collection, BOBS from Skechers, by recruiting new foster volunteers on Saturday, June 29 from 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., at Petco (5481 Lone Tree Way, Brentwood, CA 94513). As one of more than 600 animal welfare organizations across the country joining together to encourage guests to learn more about fostering pets, Antioch Animal Services staff and volunteers will be on-site to provide information about fostering opportunities at Antioch Animal Services, including what to expect as a first-time foster, the rewards of fostering, and how fostering saves animals' lives. Also, the first four people to sign-up, and foster a pet for Antioch Animal Services, will receive a free Litter Genie® Pail.



In addition to fostering, adopting, and volunteering, members of our community can make a difference by making a donation at Petco, at checkout or online, to help pets in need. For more on the Petco Foundation and ways to contribute to lifesaving causes, visit petcofoundation.org/lifesaver and join the conversation on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram using #BeALifesaver.

Human Resources



Hires/Re-classifications/Promotions:

- Anthony Arredondo was hired as a Street Maintenance Worker for the Public Works Department on June 17, 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)
- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (part-time)

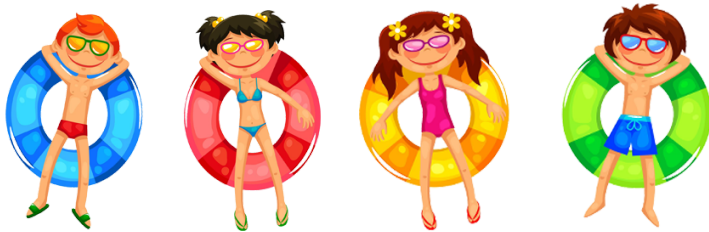
Please check our website for the opening of the following future recruitment's:

- 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 [here](#). Click on Job Opportunities or Promotional Opportunities; click on the job position, click on Apply.

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Recreation

**Aqua Adventures Camp**

This week marked the beginning of Summer Camp Programming at the Antioch Water Park. On Monday, June 17th, children began the first session of Aqua Adventures Camp. This camp combines fun aquatic activities with basic water safety skills and stroke development based on the American Red Cross Learn to Swim Program. Other camps offered this summer include Junior Lifeguard Camp which prepares teenagers interested in becoming lifeguards with the skills and experience necessary to prepare them to earn their certifications through the American Red Cross; and Swim & Play camp which is designed for 4-6 year-olds to have fun through water play, games, and crafts. For more information and to register for these camps, [click here](#).

Coyote Hills Summer Day Camp

Super Heroes Unite! Coyote Hills Summer Day Camp kicked off their first week of summer with Avengers Week! Over 30 superheroes took the Antioch Community Center by storm. They overcame obstacles and trained in our Super Hero Boot Camp and fought off all evildoers that roamed the lands. Campers made a big splash and fought off all Water Park villains making the waters a safe place for all. Come one! Come all! Join us this week at the Big Top for Carnival Week!

**Philippines Independence Day**

On Wednesday, June 12th, the senior center celebrated Philippines Independence Day in the dining hall. The celebration was presented by several of our very own club members including Carolina Parafina which featured vocalists and dancing. The seniors enjoyed traditional Filipino cuisine and dressed in traditional Filipino attire. We want to thank the presenters for their hard work and dedication to making this event a successful one.



Community Development

Planning

On June 5, 2019, the Planning Commission considered and recommended City Council approval of an application for a cannabis dispensary with delivery to be located at 2101 West 10th Street. If approved by the City Council, "Delta Dispensary" will offer cannabis products as well as consumption accessories. The City Council will consider the Planning Commission recommendation and this application at its June 25, 2019 meeting.

On June 19, 2015, the Planning Commission will consider another cannabis dispensary at 2625 Crow Court. This business would also offer cannabis sales and delivery. The Planning Commission will make a recommendation to be heard by the City Council at a future meeting.



New Policies

On Tuesday, June 11, the City Council approved changes to the Municipal Code and adopted new policies establishing regulations for wireless telecommunications facilities. The new policies create application procedures and establish aesthetic standards for wireless communications facilities on private and public property, which should streamline the approval process for future applications.



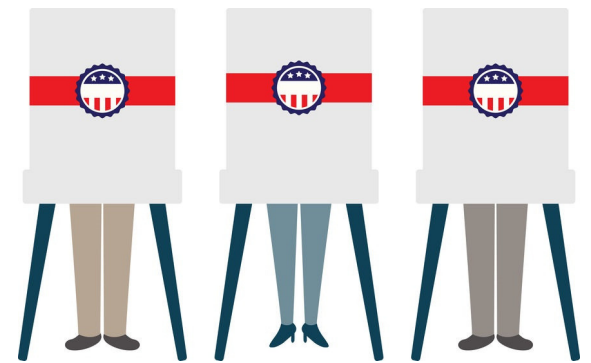
City Clerk

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.



Police Crime Prevention Commission

The City is seeking applicants for one 4-year term on the Police Crime Prevention Commission and three 4-year terms on the Economic Development Commission. Applications are available on the City website: <https://www.antiochca.gov/> and at the City Clerk's counter at City Hall. Applications are due no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 12th.

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](#).





Public Works

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



Median Landscape Improvements

Contracted crews finished installing the new plants and irrigation in the medians on Auto Center Boulevard. Next up is Delta Fair Boulevard. Teams are also prepping the medians on Lone Tree Way between E. Tregallas Road and Putnam Street. Caltrans continues working on landscaping the Highway 4 interchanges and medians.

We also have crews working on landscaping in the following areas:



- Dallas Ranch Road
- Vista Grande Drive
- Somersville Road
- Hillcrest Avenue
- Indian Hill Drive
- Larkspur Drive
- Wild Horse Road

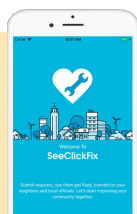
The beautification of our city is a priority. Expect to see more of this type of activity around Antioch during this summer. Thank you for your patience, and please keep an eye out for the cone zone.

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



Project Complete

Hats off to Public Works Paving Crew for working through the extremely hot days last week to complete the Hillcrest Park path repaving job!!!

And **thank you** to everyone who sent in photos – we posted as many as possible on Facebook. We also reposted the map of the trails on our Facebook page.

Hillcrest Park is beautiful with tennis courts, barbecue pits, basketball courts, exercise course, picnic tables, play structures, volleyball courts, and plenty of green turf and now freshly paved pathways. All of these public amenities are right in our own backyard - come on out and enjoy!



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ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT

Economic Development

**Regional Chamber Mixer**

On Thursday, June 13th Economic Development Program Manager Ms. Zepeda attended the regional chamber mixer in Antioch at the newly renovated 2nd floor of Sutter Health, Sutter East Bay Medical Foundation located at 4053 Lone Tree Way Blue Rock Center. This medical office expansion included over 13,000 square feet (13,740) of medical tenant improvements, construction budget of 3.5 million dollars with a 5 ½ month construction period, large patient concourse, exam rooms, that created a collaborative space. Boulder Associates, an architect firm, was tasked to design the space with lean operational flow and improved patient experience. Many chamber representatives from the region were on hand and tours were provided. This project successfully expands Sutter's role as a health anchor supporting a rapidly developing community in the Antioch area.

**Business & Economic Development Committee**

The Economic Development Director recently presented information on the City's Economic Development goals and rebranding efforts to the Business & Economic Development Committee of the Workforce Development Board. The main objective of this committee is to meet the workforce needs of high-demand sectors of local and regional economies. The presentation was well received, and staff looks forward to building the partnership with this committee.

**Chamber of Commerce
Board of Directors****ANTIOCH**
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE


The Economic Development Director was invited to speak before the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. The purpose of the presentation was to share the direction of the Economic Development Department over the next year and explain the department's priorities.

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](#)





What's Happening in Antioch!



New!

FRIDAY FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT AT PREWITT COMMUNITY PARK

Enjoy a night of family fun with a movie under the stars.
Movies begin at sunset.

- Food trucks • Music • Themed Crafts

6/14		Moana
6/28		Black Panther
7/19		Spiderman: Into the Spiderverse
8/2		Incredibles 2

FUN BEGINS AT 7PM



LUNCH — at the — LIBRARY

Contra Costa County Library serving free, healthy lunches to kids and teens

The Contra Costa County Library is serving free lunches to kids at nine library locations in the county this summer in an effort to prevent a summer nutrition gap. Many low-income children face nutrient deficiencies when school closes for the summer break.

Lunch at the Library locations and schedule:

Antioch

501 W. 18th Street

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays:

12:30 – 1:30 p.m.

June 11 – July 18

For more information, call (925) 757-9224



Pittsburg

80 Power Avenue

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays:

12:30 – 1:30 p.m.

June 12 – August 3

For more information, call (925) 427-8390

Jenna Lea Rosen: Songs from A Disney Princess, The Singing Voice of Princess Hildegard and Princess Clio on Sofia The First For Disney Fans of All Ages

Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.

With Special Guest American Idol Semi-Finalist Nicholas Crossen

Special Appearance by performers from The Peter Pan Foundation.

Adults: \$29 | Seniors: \$27 | Youth: \$15

Reserved Seating



Elite Dance and Event Center "Channel Surfing"

Saturday, June 29, 2019 5:00 p.m.

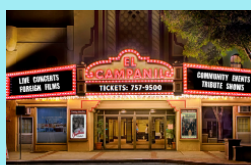
On Sale June 1, 2019

Advance Ticket: \$15

Reserved Seating- No Passes

El Campanil Theater
602 W 2nd St, Antioch
Phone: (925) 757-9500
For website [click here](http://www.elcampaniltheater.com)

For upcoming attractions at El Campanil [click here](http://www.elcampaniltheater.com)



What's Happening in Antioch!



Antioch Chamber of Commerce

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

COFFEE & CONVERSATION

Every third Thursday | 3 p.m.

Are you experiencing homelessness?
Interested in learning about available services in Contra Costa County?
Local organizations will be at the Library to talk about how they can help!
Coffee and refreshments available for all attendees.



Antioch Library

501 W. 18th Street 94509 | 925.757.9224

For special accommodations, please contact the Library with 72 hours notice.



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.



ENJOY THE RIVERTOWN EXPERIENCE

Rivertown

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN ANTIOCH

ANTIQUE SHOPS • RETAIL • RESTAURANTS • SERVICES • EVENTS

FEB 09	VALENTINE'S DAY SALE
MAR 16	ST. PATTY'S DAY LEPRECHAUN SCAVENGER HUNT
APR 20	EASTER EGG HUNT
MAY 11	RIVERTOWN WINE WALK
JUN 16	FATHER'S DAY CAR SHOW
JUL 04	ANNUAL PARADE & FIREWORKS CELEBRATION
SEP 21	RIVERTOWN PEDDLER'S FAIR
OCT 5	3RD ANNUAL BEER CRAWL / BBQ COOKOFF
OCT 27	RIVERTOWN TRICK OR TREAT
NOV 30	SHOP SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY
DEC 7	ANNUAL HOLIDAY DELITES CHRISTMAS PARADE
DEC 14	RIVERTOWN CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE RIVERTOWN MERCHANTS AND THE CELEBRATE ANTIOCH FOUNDATION

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

