



## Mayor and Members of City Council

*This is the City Manager's Report for the week of June 24, 2019*

### City Manager



#### 2019 Hometown 4th of July Celebration

The annual 4th of July parade and festivities will be held next Thursday in downtown Antioch beginning at 11:00 am. If anyone is interested in being in the parade, visit the Celebrate Antioch website [here](#). Afternoon activities will be held at the Antioch Event Center (Fairgrounds) from 4:00 p.m. until fireworks begin at 9:30 p.m. This is a fantastic opportunity to celebrate the freedom of our country, gather with friends and family, and be a part of an enjoyable day in our beautiful community.



#### Adoption of Budget

At their meeting tonight, the City Council will be adopting the **2019-2021 Operating Budget**. This important document identifies all anticipated revenues and expenditures for the numerous funds and departments that provide services to our community. With \$160,000,00 estimated for 2020-2021, Antioch has seen revenues steadily increase over the past several years. The City Council has made bringing jobs to Antioch and enhancing the quality of life two of their top priorities.



#### Council Meetings

City Council Chambers will be undergoing a renovation over the next several months. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on August 13th, and until the Council Chambers project is completed, the City Council will be meeting at the Antioch Community Center located at 4703 Lone Tree Way. Please note, the City Council will not be holding meetings during the month of July.



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## Police

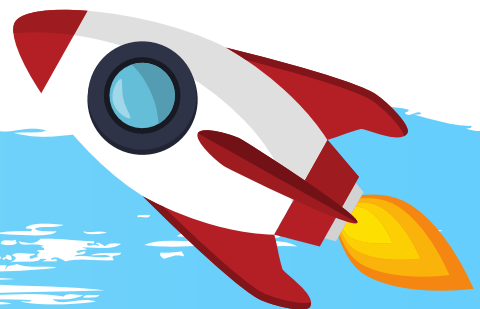
### Torch Run for Special Olympics

The Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics came through Antioch on 6/18/19. Oakley Police handed off the torch to Chief Brooks and the members of the Antioch Police Department. We ran the torch through Antioch, to the western city limits, turning it over to members of the Pittsburg Police Department. We are honored to support and are proud to be part of a program that provides opportunities to these talented athletes.



### 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!







## Police- Animal Services

### Rescued Ferrets

We found four little ferrets in a box, abandoned at a park in Antioch this week. Due to their non-native species status, ferrets are illegal to possess in California. Is this why someone left them? Luckily, we were able to ensure their safety by contacting our friends at West Coast Ferret Rescue, who happily took in this delightful busyness of ferrets, and transported them to "legal" territory in Nevada, where they can find new forever homes. (Fun fact: A group of ferrets is called a 'busyness'.)

Although ferrets are not legal to own in California, they are afforded the same opportunity for rescue as any other animal when abandoned. Please reach out to Antioch Animal Services if you have, or find, a ferret in need. Abandoning them is not an option.



## Human Resources



### Hires/Re-classifications/Promotions:

- Marc Sweet was hired as a Collection Systems Worker for the Public Works Department on June 24, 2019.
- Taylor Lopez was hired as a Building Inspector for the Community Development Department on June 24, 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)
- 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

### Horseback Riding Camp

Giddy up!

Horseback riding camp was a huge hit last week!

Seventeen campers enjoyed an entire week of our horseback riding camp at Happy Trails Riding Academy. All campers learned the basics about riding and safety. Sign up for our next Horseback Riding Camp, which takes place July 15 – July 19; there are just a few spaces left.



### Spring Jr. Warriors Basketball League



Last Saturday was the final day of the 2019 Spring Jr. Warriors Basketball League.

160 youth completed their eight-game season, which began in April. Games and practices were held at the Community Center gymnasium weekly. On the final day, all players received participation certificates with their names on them signed by none other than Stephen Curry of the Golden State Warriors. The Jr. Warriors program is successful because Antioch has 24 dedicated adult volunteer coaches that donate their time to mentor the youth of our community.

### Toddler Tuesdays

Toddler Tuesdays at the Water Park are very active! Parents and small children can enjoy pool time before the water park opens from 9:00-10:30 a.m., until July 30. It's a drop-in program, no reservations needed; cost is only \$5.00 per toddler!



### Field Trip to Contra Loma

More than 50 of our senior citizens took a field trip last week! They went to Contra Loma Regional Park for some fishing and nature walks, and even learned about snakes! East Bay Regional Park District provided the transportation, and the naturalists provided the programs. Antioch has an excellent partnership with East Bay Regional Park District – our seniors really enjoying spending time outdoors!





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## Community Development



2625 CROW COURT, ANTIOCH

### Planning

On June 19 the Planning Commission recommended that the City Council approve a use permit for Alluvium cannabis dispensary located 2625 Crow Ct. The Planning Commission also received public comments on the Notice of Preparation (NOP) to prepare an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for The Ranch project. The project is an approximately 1,177 unit residential and commercial project located in the southeastern portion of Antioch across Deer Valley Rd. from Kaiser Hospital.

The City is accepting comments on the NOP through July 11, 2019. A copy of the NOP for The Ranch project can be found on the City's website at <https://www.antiochca.gov/community-development-department/planning-division/environmental-documents/>.



### Green House Call

Don't miss your chance to schedule a Green House Call!. Sign up now for your no-cost Green House Call and be part of a true win-win-win situation: a win for the youth who gain valuable work experience, a win for the resident who saves money, and a win for the environment that benefits from reduced greenhouse gas emissions. Appointments are available from July 2nd - August 9th, 2019. For more information about job opportunities, or to sign up for your Green House Call, call: (510) 665-1501 ext 300 or visit our website: [www.risingsunopp.org/programs/ghc](http://www.risingsunopp.org/programs/ghc).







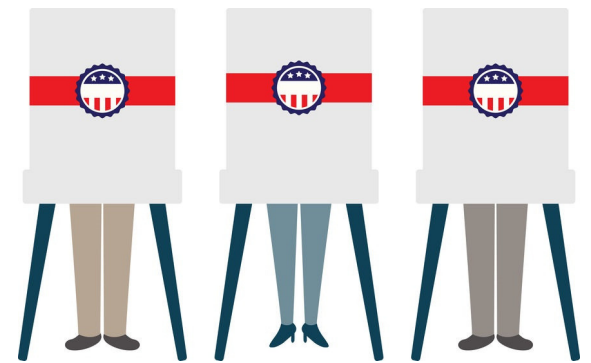
## City Clerk

### 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.



### Prosserville Park Playground Resealing

Public Works crews had a long hot job resealing the playground surface at Prosserville Park last week, but they finished the job, ensuring a long life for the rubberized playground surface. If you haven't been to Prosserville Park, you really should. It was re-done in 2016 and offers a large new playground, well-lit basketball courts, plenty of green turf and barbeque pits.

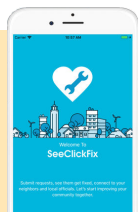
It's also just a short walk from this park to the Marina and who can resist a stroll along the waterfront where you will find beautiful views and its all right here in our very own backyard. Please share this post to help get the word out - we want our neighbors to know about these wonderful amenities our City offers.

#### Contact Public Works

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

Email: [publicworks@ci.antioch.ca.us](mailto:publicworks@ci.antioch.ca.us).

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



### Water Main Break

The Water Distribution Emergency Response Team responded to a water main break at 10:00 p.m. on Sunday.

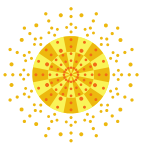
The main break occurred on W. 4th Street at L Street. The break is attributed to the age of the infrastructure. Responding crew's first task is to secure the perimeter of the break to protect the public at this busy intersection. Next, they begin excavation to isolate the broken main line and determine the extent of the repairs.



Public Works "On Call Team" addresses emergencies affecting after normal business hours. The team members have achieved State certification in water distribution and sanitary sewer collection systems. To report an emergency on after 4 p.m. on weekdays, weekends and holidays call 925-778-2441. Weekdays 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. call 925-779-6950, ext. 0.

### Getting ready for Summer Fun

Most of us know where the Antioch Water Park is located (4701 Lone Tree Way) but did you also know there is a relatively new public access park east of the main parking lot?



The park is a sweet little gem to host a family gathering; it offers an all abilities playground with BBQ pits and just this week PW installed six more brand new picnic tables located near the playground area.



ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT

## Economic Development

**Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors Meeting**

On Tuesday, June 18th Economic Development Program Manager Zepeda attended the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors meeting in Martinez. The board considered accepting a report on recent Northern Waterfront Economic Development Initiative activities. The goal is to adopt a resolution approving a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the Cities of Antioch, Brentwood, Concord, Hercules, Martinez, Oakley, and Pittsburg to collaboratively evaluate economic development projects, and to submit trademark applications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office for Northern Waterfront Economic Development Initiative marketing taglines.



County staff presented an update to the Board of Supervisors on recent activities including the May 10th, Northern Waterfront Economic Development Initiative "Bringing the Jobs to the People" public forum held in Antioch. They also reviewed the draft MOU between the County and cities for future collaborative economic development projects. The Board of Supervisors approved the MOU. The City of Pittsburg approved it on Monday, June 17th, Hercules approved in May, Concord is scheduled to review the week of June 24th and Antioch anticipates the item to be on the City Council August 2019 agenda.

**Innovate Antioch –**  
The Economic  
Development Department

recently upgraded the property locator function that can be found on the [www.innovateantioch.com](http://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](http://www.innovateantioch.com) contains information on Antioch's demographics, businesses, mapping, and community comparisons.

**Share Your Event**

Does your business or organization have an event that you would like to share with the Antioch Community? We have added the capability for you to share your event on AntiochOnTheMove.com. The busiest shopping season is amongst us! If you have a business in Antioch running special promotions or sales please create an event on our community events page! Test it out and give us your specials to share [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**

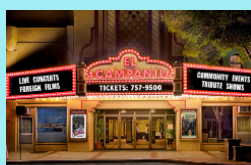
#### News from the Board of Directors of El Campanil Theatre



The Board of Directors is pleased to announce that it is making some changes in our senior staff. Effective July 1, 2019 Joel Roster will join our team as Theatre Manager. Joel will be taking on a lot of the work of Rick Carraher, who has been both Theatre Manager and Executive Director since the theatre's incorporation in 2002. Joel brings a wealth of experience and enthusiasm. Most notably he served as Artistic Director at the Town Hall Theatre in Lafayette. He served as the visionary for the 100-year-old building and was the public liaison for all events. Rick will remain very visible around the theatre where, as Executive Director, he will work with the staff and Board to continue the work that has been so well received in the past. He will continue to lead our efforts to obtain grants and public donations from our generous patrons.

**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)



### 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



## 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

### Do you have Economic Business News to share?

Please email [lpzpeda@ci.antioch.ca.us](mailto:lpzpeda@ci.antioch.ca.us) for submittals and to share pictures, stories, links, or community events on our social media outlets.

