



Mayor and Members of City Council

This is the City Manager's Report for the week of July 8, 2019

City Manager



4th of July Celebration

This year's 4th of July in Antioch was the best one yet. The pancake breakfast, parade, and activities at the Fairgrounds that led up to the fireworks extravaganza were held in perfect weather. I want to extend a special thanks to Celebrate Antioch and Mayor Pro Tem Motts who provided the leadership and hard work that made the day so much fun and a huge success.

Looking ahead

Now that the 2019-2021 \$160M two-year Operating Budget has been adopted, we are focused on continuing to improve our city. The key to the addition of key staffing, funding for maintenance and beautification projects, and finances to keep us financially stable in the years ahead are a result of the passage of Measure W by 2/3 of Antioch voters in November 2018. The \$15M+ in annual revenue it will generate over the next 20-years will result in better service and responsiveness to our residents and businesses. With the City Council's focus on making Antioch a safe, clean and green community, progress in this direction is being made, and our future is bright.



Antioch is a desired location in the Bay Area

Building on our historic legacy, we will create bright opportunities for families to grow, places to play, businesses to thrive with a unique downtown experience.

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Police

**2019 United States
Police & Fire Championships**

Our very own Officer Duff participated in the 2019 United States Police & Fire Championships, where he competed in the Police Action Pistol and Police Pistol Marksmanship events. Officer Duff won a silver medal in the Police Pistol (Individual) – Men's - 1500 - Semi-Auto-Auto event, and a gold medal in the Police Pistol (Individual) – Men's - Service Gun - Semi-Auto event. This was Officer Duff's first time shooting in a competition, and he is looking forward to competing next year! Congratulations on your accomplishment!

*Congratulations Officer Duff!***Fourth of July Celebration**

It was a beautiful day downtown at the Fourth of July Parade. We had a great time being part of the festivities and getting to meet and talk to so many people who came out. Holidays are always a wonderful time to get together as a community and celebrate what makes Antioch such a great place.

**98th Neighborhood Cleanup**

We held our 98th Neighborhood Cleanup on July 6th focusing on the neighborhoods along Sycamore Drive and Contra Loma Park. Council Members Ogorchock and Wilson, Parks and Recreation Director Kaiser, Captain Schnitzius, and Police Department staff joined with other volunteers to clean up the surrounding areas. It was an excellent opportunity to get involved and talk to our civic-minded citizens. Thank you to our community volunteers and city staff who helped with the clean-up. We appreciate your commitment to improving Antioch. As a reminder, our Neighborhood Clean-ups are held at various locations across the city and are usually the first Saturday of every month. Come out and join us next month!



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Police- Animal Services

Antioch Animal Shelter is running at full capacity!

Like all of the shelters in the Bay Area, we are experiencing an overabundance of kittens from this year's kitten season, and the 4th of July has brought us a large influx of dogs. If you are missing your pet or would like to add a new pet to your family, now is the time to come to the shelter. Not looking for a permanent addition to the family? Try fostering a litter of kittens for a couple of weeks to help us out.

To help reduce the number of homeless pets in the shelter, Antioch Friends of Animal Services will be sponsoring the spay/neuter fees for all dogs and cats adopted during the month of July. This sponsorship will save new pet parents \$100-\$350 on their adoption fees. With the sponsorship from FOAS, the adoption fees for cats will be \$90.00, and the adoption fee for dogs will be \$125.00. The adoption fee will include age-appropriate vaccinations, rabies vaccination, and the spay/neuter for the pet.



Human Resources



Hires/Re-classifications/ Promotions:

- Rudolph Nieves Jr. and Jaiwei Tang were hired as Community Service Officers for the Police Department on July 8, 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)
- 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

Movie Under the Stars

More than 200 residents enjoyed the movie under the stars – in a park – on Friday, June 28th. Parents, kids, and friends of all ages enjoyed Black Panther on the hillside in Prewett Community Park. Before the movie started, children were playing at the playground; there was free face painting and a fun craft for all ages. Bring your family and friends to the next movie – July 19th for Spiderman: into the Spideverse! Pack a picnic dinner or enjoy the food truck option.



Holiday Parade

Recreation staff participated in the July 4th Holiday Parade! It was the first parade for the department and the mobile recreation bus; Rollin' with Rec was a huge success. Camp staff and Water Park lifeguards met kids and families they see in programs and facilities and a large number of seniors watched the parade and cheered for the department.



2nd Annual Senior BBQ

On Wednesday, July 3rd, the Senior Center hosted its 2nd Annual July 3rd BBQ. The event goal was to host a celebration to commemorate the tradition of patriotism and to have community residents and club members gather for food, fun, and music. Over 200 people attended the event which surpasses last year's total of 120. We want to thank city staff and club volunteers who worked diligently to make this event a huge success. A special thanks to our volunteer grill masters from Kinder's BBQ who catered the event.



Junior Giants Baseball

Week 2 of the Junior Giants youth baseball league for children ages 5 thru 13 years is done; there are four more Saturdays left in the season. Games are played every Saturday every hour on the hour on all three fields at Antioch Community Park starting at 9:00 a.m. with the last games of the day beginning at 3:00 p.m. This year there are 30 teams with over 450 youth and 30 adult volunteers participating in this free program. The final outing is an end of season party at the Antioch Water Park on August 2nd.

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Community Development



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.



Planning

On July 17, 2019, the Antioch Planning Commission will consider an application for a Use Permit, Variance, and Design Review for the demolition and reconstruction of the Jack in the Box restaurant located at 2505 A Street. The existing 2,175 square-foot building will be demolished and replaced with a brand new 2,847 square-foot restaurant with a new drive-through and entirely new architectural scheme.

This location is highly visible from A Street, and Highway 4, and this project will continue the trend towards improving the appearance of older commercial buildings along this corridor.



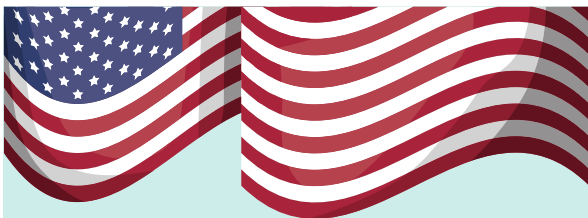
City Clerk

City Council Meetings

City Council Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. **Both Council Meetings in July 2019 have been cancelled.**

Future Council Meetings will be held at the Antioch Community Center, 4703 Lone Tree Way, Antioch, beginning August 13, 2019 at 7:00 p.m., during the Council Chambers renovation.

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, simply 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 link [here](#).



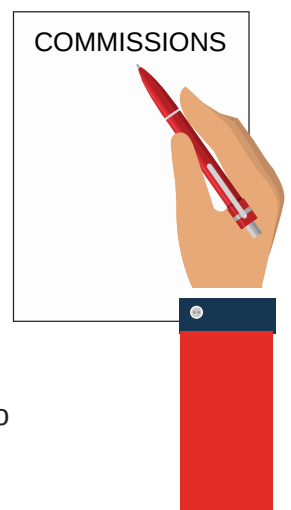
Board of Administrative Appeals

The Board of Administrative Appeal hearings are held on the 1st Thursday of each month. *The July 4th hearing date has been cancelled in observance of the Independence Day Holiday.* Future Board of Administrative Appeal hearings will be held at the Antioch Community Center as well, beginning August 1, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. Board of Administrative Appeal Agendas, including Staff Reports are posted onto our City's Website 72 hours before each Board hearing date. To view the agenda and staff reports, simply click on the following link [here](#).

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

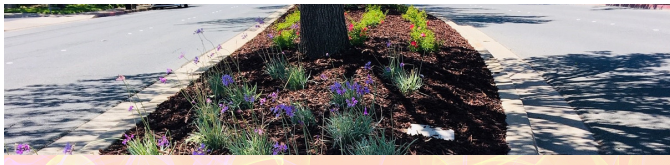
- Police Crime Prevention Commission – one 4-year term
- Economic Development Commission – three 4-year terms
- Board of Administrative Appeals, Alternate Member – one partial-term

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 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 12, 2019. Applications are available [here](#) and at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 200 H Street, Antioch, CA 94509, (925) 779-7009, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Applications and resume can be emailed to cityclerk@ci.antioch.ca.us.





Public Works



Landscape Improvements

Contracted crews are continuing with the new plants and irrigation in the medians. This week they finished West 4th Street and will progress towards L Street next week. Contracted crews are also working on landscaping in medians and rights of way in the following areas; you will see them here for a couple of weeks:

- Dallas Ranch Road
- Vista Grande Drive
- Deer Valley Road
- Golf Course Road
- Hillcrest Avenue

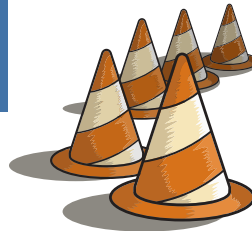
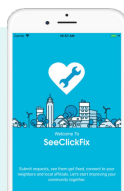


One of City Council's priorities is to clean up and beautify our City. Expect to see work crews in our community performing more of this type of activity around Antioch this summer.

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



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



Traffic Alert/Road Closure: Viera Avenue between Wilbur Avenue and E 18th Street

Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. June 27th through July 10th.

This is a Capital Improvement Project installing a new sewer main servicing the North/East Annexation project. Residents will be allowed access to their homes. Thank you for your patience while these utilities are installed.

For everyone's safety...drive carefully and slowly for the Cone Zone!

Please help us get the word out and share this post.

City Hall

Landscape Crews installed a flower bed in the shape and colors of our country's flag in front of the City Hall monument sign on W 2nd Street. Great job Public Works crew this looks awesome!



Gentrytown Park Improvements

Gentrytown Park received a new concrete pad and picnic bench this week; pictured is Marvin M. working hard to complete the latest addition to the park amenities.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Economic Development

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.



Share Your Event

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



Food Truck Thursdays

Food Truck Thursdays are back again for the third year at the Antioch Community Center and Water Park parking lot located at 4703 Lone Tree Way Antioch, CA 94531. Make sure to follow us on Facebook and Instagram to stay updated: @foodiecrewsf. Food Truck Thursdays is a kid, family, and pet-friendly community event with FREE admission. In addition to all of the delicious food and beverages; we will also have giant family-friendly games, face painting on certain days, and music...with occasional live music performances and DJ's.

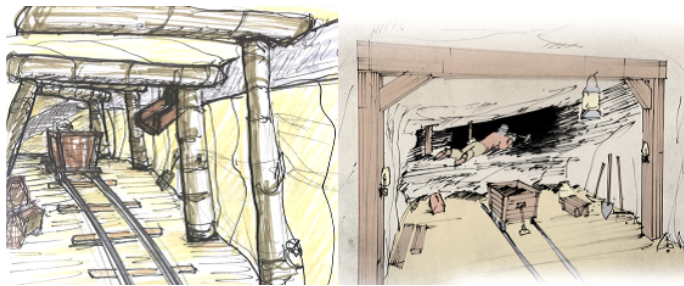
New Restaurant Open- California Burrito

Announcing their 10th location open now in Antioch! Come on in and check them out, with an extended menu located at 2404 Mahogany way in front on Lowe's.






What's Happening in Antioch!



Black Diamond Mines Closed Until September 10 for Installation of New Coal Mining Exhibit

Oakland, CA – The Hazel-Atlas Mine and Greathouse Visitor Center will be closed until September 10 while a new exhibit is installed. No mine tours will be available during the construction period. Sidney Flat Visitor Center, located at park headquarters, will be open on weekends during the summer from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The new Black Diamond Coal Mine exhibit, built into the existing Hazel-Atlas silica sand mine, will be an immersive experience taking visitors into a recreated 1870s coal mine, part of California's largest coal mining operation. All of the original coal mines at the preserve have been closed to the public and permanently sealed for public safety. Visitors to the new exhibit will experience the sights and sounds of a working coal mine from nearly 150 years ago when immigrant miners worked deep in the earth to supply California with the energy needed to power and transform the state's economy from rural to industrial. The new exhibit is scheduled to open to the public in the spring.



New!

FRIDAY FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

AT PREWETT 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

International Film Showcase: Secret Ingredient

Sunday, July 14, 2019, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 20, 2019, 2:00 p.m.

Tickets: Adults: \$9 | Seniors: \$8 | Students: \$8

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

About The Film - An underpaid train mechanic gives his father a cake made of stolen marijuana to relieve his cancer pain, but he is cornered by the criminals who are searching for their drugs and the nosy neighbors who want a recipe for the "healing" cake.

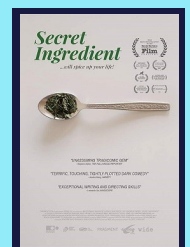
Country: Republic of Macedonia

Language: Macedonian

Subtitles: English

Genres: Comedy | Drama

Run Time: 104 minutes



El Campanil Theater

602 W 2nd St, Antioch

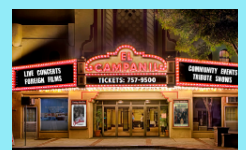
Phone: (925) 757-9500

For website [click here](#)

For upcoming attractions at

El Campanil

[click here](#)



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.



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

FREE! SATURDAYS 6-9PM
WALDIE PLAZA

The best sunsets, good music, delicious food & great friends!

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www.ci.antioch.ca.us/antiochrecreation

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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.

