



CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO | June 2021

# Community Newsletter

HAPPY

*Father's Day*



## Community & Economic Development

### Get involved in your City's Future!

The General Plan Update ensures development of a well-planned, balanced, and sustainable city. Specifically, the update to the General Plan and Development Code will establish new long-range planning tools that establish comprehensive development policies and land use regulations facilitating planned growth in the City.



As part of this process, your participation and input are essential to developing a community-driven plan that reflects our diverse community's values and what we envision for the future of **your** City. Coming soon there will be a variety of opportunities to participate in the General Plan Update work, including city-wide workshops, focused topic workshops and pop-up events.

What the City is focused on right now is hearing what you have to say through our online survey. Visit [FutureSB2050.com](http://FutureSB2050.com) to fill out the Initial Community Survey. This initial survey is intended to provide us insight on what is important to you and the community as we start the process.

Watch for upcoming Pop-Up Events and Community Workshops starting soon!

### Have you noticed this new construction in the City?



The new and highly anticipated Panda Express Drive-Thru is located at the corner of W 5th Street and N. H Street just off the 215 freeway across from In-N-Out. Construction began at the end of March and has been on going with no signs of slowing down. This location is anticipated to be open late summer.



Staybridge Suites is making its home on Hospitality Lane, joining hotel and restaurant row. The 5-story, 83,000 sqft hotel comes with 106 guestrooms, dining options on the first floor and a pool for guests to enjoy. Those wanting to enjoy a stay here can start making reservations come Fall.



Get information on these, and other projects by going to [www.SBCity.org/DevelopmentProjects](http://www.SBCity.org/DevelopmentProjects)

## Advisory Committee Opportunities Available

The City of San Bernardino has started work on updating the General Plan and creating a Downtown Specific Plan. As part of these two large undertakings, Advisory Committees have been created as an important component of the public participation program. These committees will participate in a series of meetings and serve as the primary communication channel for making recommendations to the Planning Commission and the Mayor and City Council.

If you are interested in serving on either the

**General Plan Advisory Committee (GPAC) OR Downtown Specific Plan Advisory Committee**

We encourage you to submit an application. To do so, visit [www.sbcity.org](http://www.sbcity.org), select "About", and "Boards, Commissions & Committees" or call (909) 384-5188.

## Public Works

### Community Dump Day

On May 22nd, the monthly Community Dump Day took place at Perris Hill Park. Residents were able to discard bulk furniture and items, shred files, and obtain mulch for free. We commenced Community Dump Day at 8:00AM.

Over 50 residents solely utilized shredding services, and a handful inquired specifically about the free mulch. The line wrapped around the parking lot and Burrtec assisted to navigate the lines for residents within an hour or two.

Come see us for our next Dump Day on June 26th at Seccombe Lake Park.

*Dump this junk for free!*



Television, Couches, Tires, Chairs, printers

Questions? Call 909-384-7272 and visit [www.SBCity.org/KeepSBClean](http://www.SBCity.org/KeepSBClean) to learn of more ways to help keep the city clean.

### Citywide Pavement Rehabilitation

The Citywide Pavement Rehabilitation Project at Auto Center Drive will rehabilitate 2.2 miles of fair to poor condition pavement and address needed concrete repairs in the area. The pavement treatment includes application of a chip seal that will be followed by the slurry seal for the finished surface. The project will also provide removal and disposal of deteriorated asphalt, clearing and grubbing, grading, traffic control, crack sealing, asphalt skin patching, and installation of signage and striping.

A concrete cross gutter, spandrel, and curb will also be placed at Fairway Drive and Camino Real. The contractor, All American Asphalt, has started the concrete work and is scheduled to start the pavement treatment on June 15, 2021 and complete all work by July 2, 2021.

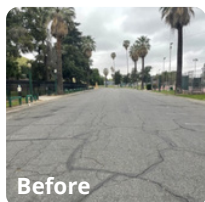


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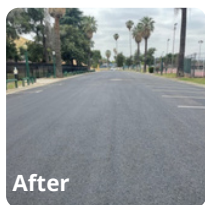
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### Parking Lot Improvements at Perris Hill & Lytle Creek Community Centers



Before

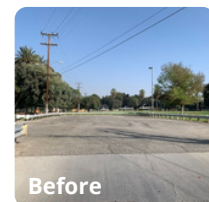
Perris Hill



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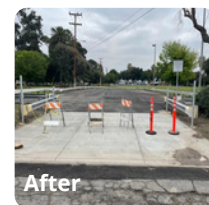
Perris Hill and Lytle Creek parking lot improvements are nearly complete. These parking lots were in poor condition and needed to be rehabilitated in order to create safer travel surfaces for the public.

The scope of work included replacing deteriorated asphalt concrete pavement, grading, performing an asphalt concrete overlay, installation of pipe swing gates (Perris Hill Park), driveway and access ramps concrete improvements, tree removal and maintenance, and installation of signage and striping. Through cooperation and support from the team and community, the projects are expected to be completed by June 4, 2021. The contractor has completed all paving and is currently working on manufacturing the gates for installation at Perris Hill Park.



Before

Lytle Creek

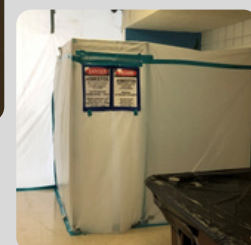


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### Improvements at Delman Heights Community Center & 5th St Senior Center

Public Works is working on improvements at Delmann Heights and 5th Street Senior Center to address overdue maintenance. Our team is working on replacing the flooring to create safer travel surfaces to our seniors at 5th Street Senior Community and removal of asbestos in both facilities.

The scope of work of this project includes repainting the interior/exterior of the facilities, installing new flooring & base boards in the buildings, removing hazardous materials, replacing the ceiling and cleaning/resealing kitchen tiles. The notice to proceed was issued to the contractor on May 17, 2021. The contractor has begun abatement of hazardous material at Delmann Heights. The project is expected to be completed by September 20, 2021.





### Street, Pothole & Sidewalk Repairs

The team is dedicated to repairing streets and sidewalks including abating debris, weeds, and illegal dumping.

**Potholes Filled - 2,136 / 10,949 Sq.Ft.**  
**Hot Patches - 103 / 11,947 Sq.Ft.**



Before



After

Hot Patch repair on Union between N. E St. & N. F St.



### City Cleanup

**Customer Service Requests Closed - 1408**

**Including:**

**Graffiti Removal - 415 Locations**

**Palms Removed - 11 Piles**

**Illegal Dumps - 399 Locations**



Before



After

Graffiti clean up at Baseline st. & Sierra Way



### Storm Water

The Storm Water Division maintains approximately 118 miles of storm drains and 1,535 street culverts.

**Pipelines & Culverts - 17 / 51 CY Removed**  
**Catch Basins & Storm Drains - 82 / 208 CY Removed**  
**Concrete Channels - 7 / 94 CY Removed**



Before



After

Dirt Channel and Culvert Cleaning at Orange St. & Piedmont Dr.



### Traffic Signals, Street Light Repairs & Signs

**Street Lights Repaired - 127**

**Signal Maintenance - 204**

**Sign Fabrication/Installation/Replacements - 174**

**Underground Service Alerts - 924**

**Signs, Poles & Anchors - 172**



Before



After

Rialto Ave & Arrowhead Ave Traffic Signal Knockdown

## Parks & Recreation

### **Starlight Cinema is Back!**

Starlight Cinema kicked off its summer movie series on May 22nd at Hudson Park. Participants were able to register online to reserve a 10x10 marked-off viewing section in the grass to help implement social distancing. Over 80 participants were on site to enjoy a screening of Pixar's Onward. Don't miss the next Starlight Cinema dates below, under Upcoming Events. See you there!

### **Prom Night**

On Saturday, May 15, CID Hosted their thirteenth annual All Abilities Prom! We had around 55 attendees visit our enchanted Garden and we were able to crown our 2021 Prom King and Queen--Natasha and Erick. They've been so excited about being crowned, they've worn their crown every day since the dance. The purpose of this event was to provide CID participants, as well as other individuals with disabilities the opportunity to have the prom/dance experience.



### **KABOOM!**

On Saturday, May 22, 2021 the Lionel E. Hudson Park newly installed All-Inclusive fully accessible Playground was officially unveiled to the community. This playground came about with the guidance and support from KABOOM! in collaboration with the LA Kings, LA Galaxy and the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians. The chain cutting event was kicked off by the EMCEE Daryl Evans a former professional hockey player with the LA Kings who spoke about the integrity of the City and the many benefits the playground has to offer, as well as introducing each of the guest speakers. Immediately following, the community was enjoying the various apparatuses of the play structure, along with interactive activities that were provided by the Parks, Recreation & Community Services Department along with the LA Kings Hockey Puck Shoot Out and LA Galaxy's mascot Cosmo running around with the families.



## Community Food Distribution

For information on distribution days / times / locations visit

[www.sbcity.org/cityhall/parks](http://www.sbcity.org/cityhall/parks)

or Call (909) 384-5233



## San Bernardino Public Library

### Summer Reading Program Starts June 7

This year's theme is "Reading Colors Your World!" Children, teens, and adults are all able to participate to win prizes in the event that runs through Aug. 2. This year's Summer Reading Program is a virtual program hosted by the Beanstack platform. Patrons are encouraged to go online to register at [sbpl.beanstack.org](http://sbpl.beanstack.org) on the Beanstack app. While online registration is encouraged – patrons can still sign up

in the library. Grand prizes will be awarded at the completion of the program in early August. Drawings will be held at each library and winners will be notified. Weekly online programs from Checkers TV will be available at our website [www.sbpl.org](http://www.sbpl.org) from Memorial Day thru Labor Day. For more information, call the library at 909-381-8250.

### Return to Regular Services Days & Hours

Libraries will also be returning to regular public service days and hours starting June 7. Feldheim will be open 37 hours a week : Monday – Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday from 1 to 6 p.m. The three branch libraries will each be open 20 hours a week - Rowe (108 E. Marshall Blvd.,) and Villaseñor (525 N. Mt. Vernon Ave.,) will be open Monday and Tuesday from 3 to 8 p.m. and Wednesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Inghram (1505 W. Highland Ave.) will be open Tuesday – Friday from 2 to 6 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### Special Guest & Cartoonist Phil Yeh hosts Event

"Cartooning with Phil: Be a Creator" is an event where our local cartoonist, Phil Yeh, shows us how to create our own cartoon character. Phil will help the participant design their cartoon character; not only what they look like, but also who they are and what they do. Whatever you want to create, Superhero, school kid, or local librarian, will come alive in this fun adventure of cartoon invention. A limited number of people can register to view on site and a recording will later be shown on our website with the assistance of the Inland Empire Media Group. This activity is funded by a Virtual Youth Programming Grant received from the California State Library.

## Check us out Online!

Go to [www.SBPL.org](http://www.SBPL.org) or

Our Facebook Pages



SBPLFriends

SBCityLib

## Mayor's Corner

### National Day of Prayer

The National Day of Prayer is held annually on the first Thursday in May. This year the event was hosted by Pastor Dan Roth of the Rock Church and his wonderful staff on May 6, 2021. It began by opening in memory of Pastor Alan Rosenberg who had previously hosted the event for the last six years.

"The National Day of Prayer event hosted yearly at City Hall is a moment where we pause as a city, humble ourselves and look upward to Heaven for guidance, comfort, and direction for this community. Prayer is the key to heaven and faith unlocks the door to the impossible." – John Valdivia

We encouraged daily prayer incorporating the prayer topics from our event; Personal Repentance, The City of San Bernardino, elected officials, first responders and military personnel, a united nation, religious leaders, and God's protection of America. With the help of all the speakers, Pastor Dan Roth, and everyone else who helped make this day happen, we were able to bring around 200 people out to the City Hall exterior to pray with us. We would like to thank each and every one of you and we hope you'll join us next year.





## Are You Thinking About Rehoming Your Pet?



San Bernardino Animal Services understands how difficult this decision is and would like to help you determine the best course of action for you and your pet. There may be resources available to help you. Below are some questions you should consider before making an appointment for surrender at the shelter.

**Do you want to keep your pet but need help with behavior, supplies, medical treatment or something else?**

- Contact the Lange Foundation at (909) 600-0738 or [sbintervention@langefoundation.org](mailto:sbintervention@langefoundation.org).
- If you need help with supplies, including food or medicine, call the shelter at (909) 384-1304 we can help!
- Do you have a problem with housing? Is there a possibility someone can house your pet for you temporarily?

**The shelter can be stressful on pets, and should be a last resort for rehoming. Below are some additional tips and resources to try before contacting us for assistance.**

- Try reaching out to friends and family to see if they are willing to take your pet or know someone who would.
- Try [rescueme.org](http://rescueme.org) to locate a rescue that can take your animal.
- Try online platforms like Nextdoor, Facebook to find someone to adopt your pet from you. You should use caution when re-homing to unknown individuals. Ask questions and meet in a public place or near a police station.

# UPCOMING EVENTS



City of San Bernardino  
Parks, Recreation And Community Services

Parks  
Make  
Life  
Better!



# STARLIGHT CINEMA

- MAY 22ND - HUDSON PARK
- JUNE 11TH - ANNE SHIRRELLS PARK
- JUNE 25TH - WILDOOD PARK
- JULY 10TH - FISCALINI FIELD
- JULY 23RD - MEDOWBROOK PARK
- JULY 30TH - SPEICHER PARK

**Movies Under the Stars**

Pre-Register at [www.sbcity.org/parks](http://www.sbcity.org/parks)

For More Information Call (909)384-5233

or Email [recreation@sbcity.org](mailto:recreation@sbcity.org)





# UPCOMING EVENTS



City of San Bernardino  
Parks, Recreation and Community Services  
Ruben Campos Community Center



## Amazing Arts Club



Tuesday & Thursday  
June 8 - July 1  
3:30pm for ages 6-11  
4:30pm for ages 12-17

1717 West 5th Street  
San Bernardino, CA, 92411

**Registration is FREE!!**

Join us and come explore canvas painting, tempera paints, water colors, oil pastels, and more with us!



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SBCity Parks and Recreation

**FOR MORE INFORMATION & REGISTRATION**

Call (909) 384-5421

or email [recreation@sbcity.org](mailto:recreation@sbcity.org)

[www.SBCity.org/PARKS](http://www.SBCity.org/PARKS)

# UPCOMING EVENTS



City of San Bernardino  
Parks, Recreation and Community Services  
Ruben Campos Community Center



## Outdoor Athletics Club



Tuesday & Thursday

June 8 - July 1

3:30pm for ages 12-17

4:30pm for ages 6-11

1717 West 5th Street  
San Bernardino, CA, 92411

**Registration is FREE!!**

Let's get physical! We will be playing games outdoors, games like bowling, disc golf, croquets, hockey, racquet ball, and much more!



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[www.SBCity.org/PARKS](http://www.SBCity.org/PARKS)

# CITY INFORMATION

## Office Locations & Hours of Operation

**Our Public Service Counters are now open for  
Appointments & Walk-ins**  
**For assistance or information, please call us at  
(909) 384-7272 or visit our website [www.SBCity.org](http://www.SBCity.org)**

### [Vanir Tower](#)

290 N. D St., San Bernardino, CA 92401  
CITY INFORMATION CENTER/VISITOR CHECK-IN

Mayor	City Manager
City Council	Finance
City Attorney	Human Resources

### [201 N. E St., San Bernardino, CA 92401](#)

SPACE 201A - ONE-STORY BUILDING  
Entrance located on E Street (near 2nd street)

**Business Registration**  
**Parks, Recreation and Community Services**  
**City Clerk**

SPACE 201B - THREE-STORY BUILDING

Entrances located on E Street, next to Big Five and the southwest corner of the parking structure rooftop level

**Community & Economic  
Development**

- Administration
- Building & Safety
- Code Enforcement
- Economic Development
- Housing
- Planning

**City Cable Channel Studio**

- Inland Empire Media Group

**Public Works**

- Administration
- Engineering
- Land Development
- Off-site Permits
- Real Property
- Traffic Division

**Information Technology**

**Multipurpose Room**

### [710 N. D St., San Bernardino, CA 92401](#)

**San Bernardino Police Department**  
909-384-5742 / Dispatch 909-383-5311


### [555 W. 6th St., San Bernardino, CA 92410](#)


**San Bernardino Public Library | Admin. Offices | 909-381-8201**  
Hours vary by location, please visit [www.SBPL.org](http://www.SBPL.org) for details

### [1350 S. E St., San Bernardino, CA 92408](#)


**Water Dept. Customer Service Offices | 909-384-5095**  
**Water Emergency (24 hours) | 909-384-5141**


## Ways to Connect


 **SB Direct**  
909-384-7272

 **[www.SBCity.org](http://www.SBCity.org)**

 **Mobile App**  
GORequest

 **Channel 3**  
(IEMediaGroup)

 **City Information  
Center**  
290 North D Street

 **SBCConnect**  
AM1610 radio

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@SBCityLib

@SBCityWater

@SBParksAndRecreation

@SanBernardinoPD

@SanBernardinoCountyFire

IEMediaGroup (YouTube)

## [Upcoming Holiday Closures](#)

In observance of upcoming holidays, City administrative offices will be closed on the following days:

Monday	July 5	Independence Day
Monday	September 6	Labor Day
Thursday	November 11	Veteran's Day
Thursday	November 25	Thanksgiving Day
Thursday	November 26	Day After Thanksgiving

\*NOTE: BURRTEC HOLIDAY SCHEDULE - When the holiday falls on a weekday, trash collections for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day. No service will be provided on the following days: New Years Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

The Community Newsletter is published monthly to highlight information, news and activities in the City of San Bernardino.

Previous editions are available at  
[www.SBCity.org/Newsletter](http://www.SBCity.org/Newsletter).

For more information, call 909-384-5122.  
To sign up to receive electronically,  
visit [www.SBCity.org/SBCConnect](http://www.SBCity.org/SBCConnect).



## Join the team!

Openings posted weekly | [SBCity.org/Jobs](http://SBCity.org/Jobs)