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LAND USE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Please join me at one of my remaining community meetings where we will discuss land use and **economic development**. I have invited **Todd Smith, Planning Director**, and **Crystal Bethke, Director of Economic Development**, to provide information about the County's efforts to attract businesses and infill projects in the unincorporated areas. **Please see below for dates and locations.**

Arden Arcade Community Meeting

DATE: Thursday, September 12, 2024

TIME: 8:30 am – 9:30 am

LOCATION: Howe Park, 2201 Cottage Way, Sacramento, CA 95825

Carmichael Community Meeting

DATE: Monday, September 16, 2024

TIME: 8:30 am - 9:30 am

LOCATION: Carmichael Park Clubhouse, 5750 Grant Ave, Carmichael, CA 95608

Foothill Farms Community Meeting

DATE: Tuesday, September 17, 2024

TIME: 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm

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LOCATION: Liberty Towers Youth Center, 5229 Elkhorn Blvd, Sacramento, CA 95842



County Land Use and Economic Development Community Meetings

Featuring Todd Smith, Planning Director - Planning and Environmental Review, and Crystal Bethke, Director of Economic Development - Office of Economic Development

Date	Time	Location
Thursday August 29, 2024	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	Fair Oaks Water District 10326 Fair Oaks Blvd Fair Oaks, CA 95628
Thursday September 12, 2024	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Howe Park 2201 Cottage Way Sacramento, CA 95825
Monday September 16, 2024	8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	Carmichael Park Clubhouse 5750 Grant Ave Carmichael, CA 95608
Tuesday September 17, 2024	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	Liberty Towers Youth Center 5229 Elkhorn Blvd Sacramento, CA 95842

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CRUISEFEST ON FULTON AVENUE

On Saturday, **September 14, 2024, from 3 pm to 7 pm**, the Fulton Avenue Association is hosting its 13th Annual **Cruise Fest on Fulton Avenue**. Check out the Cruise & Show with hundreds of cars that feature all makes and models with thousands of spectators! Please join! The show will be held on **Fulton Avenue between El Camino and Marconi**. CruiseFest on Fulton Avenue is one of the biggest family car events in Sacramento! Car aficionados can also check out the hot wheels and classic cars on display at this **free**

family event, which will feature live music, breweries, vendors and food trucks.

Fulton Avenue is the perfect venue for this event because it is one of the premier automobile sales corridors in our region, featuring all types of new and previously owned cars.

The event will benefit the California Auto Museum: California Vehicle Foundation – a 501(c)3 charitable organization. For more information, and to register, please visit the [California Auto Museum website](https://www.calautomuseum.org).

Fulton Avenue will be closed to through traffic between El Camino and Marconi from 3pm-7pm on Sat. Sept. 14th for this event.



The poster features a vibrant orange and red background. At the top, a stylized 'F' logo is in the corner. The main title '13th Annual CruiseFest on Fulton Avenue 2024' is written in a large, white, cursive font. Below this, it says 'PRESENTED BY EPIC CHEVROLET' with the Chevrolet bowtie logo. Two cars are illustrated: a purple classic car on the left and a modern orange sports car on the right. A note states 'All proceeds benefit the California Auto Museum'. The bottom section is dark blue and contains event details: 'FOOD TRUCKS', 'MUSIC', 'BEER GARDEN', 'SPECTATORS FREE!', the California Automobile Museum logo, the date 'September 14, 2024', and the time 'CRUISE 3PM-5PM - CAR SHOW 5PM-7PM'. It also lists ticket prices: 'MEMBER PRICE \$29', 'NON-MEMBER PRICE \$45', 'DAY OF PURCHASE \$60', and 'TICKETS NON-REFUNDABLE'. A registration link 'TO REGISTER FOR THE CRUISE GO TO CALAUTOMUSEUM.ORG/CRUISEFEST' is at the bottom.

13th Annual CruiseFest
on Fulton Avenue 2024

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EPIC CHEVROLET

All proceeds benefit the
California Auto Museum

FOOD TRUCKS
MUSIC
BEER GARDEN

CALIFORNIA
AUTOMOBILE
MUSEUM

September 14, 2024
CRUISE 3PM-5PM - CAR SHOW 5PM-7PM

On Fulton Avenue
BETWEEN MARCONI & EL CAMINO

MEMBER PRICE \$29
NON-MEMBER PRICE \$45
DAY OF PURCHASE \$60
TICKETS NON-REFUNDABLE

SPECTATORS FREE!

TO REGISTER FOR THE CRUISE GO TO [CALAUTOMUSEUM.ORG/CRUISEFEST](https://www.calautomuseum.org/cruisefest)



REVISED RECOMMENDED BUDGET HEARINGS SET

The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors will begin [Fiscal Year \(FY\) 2024-25 Revised Recommended Budget hearings](#) on **Wednesday, Sept. 4, at 9:30 am** in Board Chambers in the Sacramento County Administration Building, located at **700 H Street, Sacramento, 95814**. If necessary, hearings will continue on Sept. 5 and 6 at the same time and location.

The hearing schedule, in order (may be subject to change):

- IHSS Public Authority Budget Deliberation and Approval
- Introduction by the County Executive to the FY 2024-25 Revised Recommended Budget
- Public Comment
- Board Deliberation and Approval to Revisions of the Approved Recommended Budget

The numbers in the recommended budget change between June and September when the County receives new information, including the impact of the State Budget and updated revenue totals. Because of that new information, the [Revised Recommended Budget](#) comes back to the Board for review and adoption in September.

The Board of Supervisors approved the [FY 2024-25 Recommended Budget](#) on June 5. The \$8.8 billion spending plan recognized [new or enhanced areas of growth](#), based on the [Board's priorities and a survey of Sacramento residents](#).

Included in those increases was funding to Health Services of \$28.4 million primarily for Behavioral Health Services; an additional \$5.7 million to Child, Family and Adult Services primarily for Child Protective Services; an increase of \$4.2 million to Human Assistance for childcare

payments to CalWORKS participants and a position in Veterans Services; an additional \$3.9 million to the Sheriff's Office for a mobile command vehicle, required software and body-worn cameras; an increase of \$3.4 million to Correctional Health for a Medication Assisted Treatment Program, pharmacy positions and a new electronic health record system; and an additional \$1 million to Homeless Services and Housing to fund beds at a planned Safe Stay Community and three new positions, among others.

Members of the public may attend the hearings and be heard on any item in the budget, either [publicly or through written comments](#). The budget hearings will also be telecast live on [Metro Cable 14](#) and [on the web](#).

2024 SACRAMENTO HEART & STROKE WALK

It is time for the annual [American Heart Association Sacramento Heart and Stroke Walk](#). The **Heart & Stroke Walk** has always been a great way to get moving while socializing with friends, family, and co-workers leading up to and on the day of event. It's so much more than a walk. Participating in the Heart & Stroke Walk **boosts your heart and mental health while helping millions of others** simultaneously.

Bold moves, and dedicated researchers and volunteers, have resulted in significant medical advancements over 100 years. With bold hearts, the American Heart Association forges ahead into the organization's second century. Be a supporter of critical research. Be a community energizer. Be a champion. Be a lifesaver.

There are no barriers to participation as there are no registration fees. The event is kid-friendly and pet-friendly

DATE: Saturday, September 14, 2024

TIME: 8:00am Event Opens, 8:30am Walk Begins

LOCATION: William Land Park, Corner of Freeport Blvd & Sutterville Rd, Sacramento, CA 95822

Route Length: 1 Mile & 5K Options

Parking Information: Preferred parking at Sacramento City College, located at 3835 Freeport Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95822 directly across from William Land Park



FAIR OAKS CHICKEN FESTIVAL

Please join me at the [Fair Oaks Recreation & Park District's Annual Fair Oaks Chicken Festival.](#)

The **Chicken Festival** is a celebration of rural history and celebrates the community of Fair Oaks. The Village of Fair Oaks, settled around 1895, was home to orange and citrus groves as well as olive orchards and assorted farm animals, including chickens.

DATE: Saturday, September 21, 2024

TIME: 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm

LOCATION: Fair Oaks Park, 11549 Fair Oaks Bl

Festival Festivities include:

- Chicken Stock (live music)
- Rocky's Roost (kids' park)
- Feed Court (food trucks)

- Watering Hole (beer & wine sales) presented by Fair Oaks Rotary Foundation
- Craft and Community Vendor Booths
- Cornhole Tournament presented by Fair Oaks Chamber of Commerce & Orangevale Cornhole CCA
- Cluck n' Crow Contest presented Kiwanis Club Orangevale - Fair Oaks
- Great Chicken Decorating Contest
- Community Spirit, and much more!

There will be no outside ice chests, coolers, alcoholic beverages, or weapons of any kind allowed inside the festival area. All people and bags will be checked upon entry.

For the safety of attendees and the animals, except service animals, pets are not allowed at the event.

If you have any questions about this event, please email events@forpd.org.



CELEBRATE NORTH HIGHLANDS

Celebrate North Highlands is an event being put together for the community, by the community, and it will honor the diverse cultures, talents, and stories that make North Highlands unique.

Enjoy performances from local bands and artists, showcasing the rich musical talent of the community, savor delicious dishes and refreshing beverages from a variety of local vendors, and fun-filled activities and games for the entire family.

DATE: Saturday, September 28, 2024

TIME: 10 am – 3 pm

**LOCATION: Freedom Park, 3200 Freedom Park Dr,
McClellan, CA 95652**

For more information about this event, visit the [Celebrate North Highlands website](#).

YOU'RE INVITED TO CELEBRATE THE DIVERSITY IN OUR COMMUNITY!

- FOOD
- LIVE PERFORMANCES
- LIVE MURAL
- VENDORS
- KID ACTIVITIES
- AND SO MUCH MORE!
- **FREE EVENT!**

**10AM-3PM
SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 28
FREEDOM PARK,
NORTH HIGHLANDS**

@celebrate.NH
WWW.CELEBRATENORTHHIGHLANDS.COM

**Vendor, Sponsorship and
Volunteer Opportunities
Available!**

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Rotary Club of Foothill Highlands
NORTH HIGHLANDS

AMERICAN RIVER PARKWAY FOUNDATION CLEAN-UP EVENT

Join the **American River Parkway Foundation's** largest Clean-Up event of the year, “**The Great American River Clean Up**”

Whether you're an individual, group, family, corporation, or high school student, ARPF welcomes you to come and make a difference. [View the Great American River Clean-Up Site Map!](#)

DATE: Saturday, September 21st, 2024

TIME: 9 am – 12 pm

Register to volunteer by clicking on your desired volunteer location:

[Black Miners Bar](#), [Discovery Park](#), [Township9 Park*](#), [Sutter's Landing Regional Park*](#), [Cal Expo-Ethan Way River Access*](#), [Paradise Beach](#), [Guy West Bridge](#), [Howe Ave River Access*](#), [Watt Ave River Access](#), [William B Pond Park](#), [River Bend Park](#), [Sunrise Recreation Area](#), [On Water](#)

* Age restrictions

For groups of 20 or more, and for registration, please email volunteer@arpf.org or call (916) 486-2773

AMERICAN RIVER PARKWAY FOUNDATION

The Great American River
Clean-Up
GARCU

Sep
21st

**9 am -
12 noon**

Join us for GARCU! Help remove trash from the Parkway to make it a cleaner place for all.

Whether you're an individual, group, family, corporation, or high school student, we welcome you to come together and make a difference. Let's keep our Parkway clean and beautiful!

*Print this flyer or save a copy to your phone to show to a SacRT bus driver or fare inspection staff when asked

LOCATIONS:

- Rossmoor Bar
- How Avenue*
- Cal Expo*
- Township 9 Park*
- Sailor Bar
- Sutter's Landing*
- Sacramento Bar
- Ancil Hoffman
- + 8 more locations

*age restrictions

Take Pride in The Parkway!

METRO FIRE FALL BASIC CLASS

Metro Fire Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) is conducting its **Fall Basic Class**.

The purpose of the (CERT) Basic Training is to provide the individuals who complete this course with the basic skills they will need to respond to their community's immediate needs in the aftermath of a disaster when emergency services are not immediately available.

Participation in the Metro Fire CERT program is open to anyone who lives or works in the response area of the

Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District or within Sacramento County.

So far in 2024, Metro Fire CERT members have volunteered over 3500 hours. We have provided community education and stand-by first aid at many community events in Sacramento County. Over 500 of those hours were in direct support of Metro Fire either during severe weather events or during fire incidents.

The first step in joining any CERT is to complete a CERT Basic class.

Metro Fire's Fall Basic Class begins on **September 26th**.
The deadline to register is September 20th.

For more information or to register for the upcoming Fall Basic Class, email cert@metrofire.ca.gov or call the CERT message line at (916) 859-3776.

METRO FIRE CERT
COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

What is Metro Fire CERT?
CERT: Community Emergency Response Team.
CERT has two main missions:

1. Educate the community about emergency preparedness.
2. Support Metro Fire personnel in the field.

What is CERT Basic?
CERT Basic is a 28 hour class that teaches citizens of Sacramento County about emergency preparedness and response. FEMA qualified CERT trainers and Metro Fire personnel will cover the following topics:

1. Emergency preparedness
2. Emergency organization
3. Disaster Medical
4. Triage
5. Disaster Psychology
6. Fire Suppression
7. Light Search and Rescue
8. Responses to Terrorism

Fall Basic 2024 begins September 26th
Deadline to register: September 20th
This 28 hour course is free to those living or working in Metro Fire's service area
CERT@metrofire.ca.gov

CALLING ALL SOURDOUGH BREAD BAKERS!

Bakers of Arden Arcade presents a sourdough bread make-and-take workshop.

This is a demonstration with free take-home ingredients. Glass jars, all-purpose flour, and gluten-free flour will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis. We'll mix water and flour to make an environment for natural leavening to grow, the first step in making sourdough bread.

Due to library regulations, no bread will be baked or sampled on-site.

Everyone is welcome! Anyone interested in learning to bake bread for about 72 cents a loaf, likes delicious bread, or is interested in home baking, this workshop is for you!

DATE: Saturday, September 14

TIME: 1 - 2 pm

LOCATION: Arcade Library, 2443 Marconi Ave



SACRAMENTO COUNTY RECEIVES ADDITIONAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BRIDGE HOUSING FUNDING

Sacramento County Behavioral Health Services (BHS) was notified of a conditional award of **\$15 million** as part of the latest round of funding from the California Department of Health Care Services' (DHCS) **Behavioral Health Bridge Housing (BHBH) Program**. This award is part of a broader initiative by the State which awarded [nearly \\$133 million to 10 County behavioral health agencies](#) to provide temporary, safe housing and essential support for people transitioning from homelessness to permanent housing.

This new funding builds on the success of the first round of BHBH funding, in which [Sacramento County received \\$43 million](#). With the initial funding, the County developed two main strategies to address behavioral health and housing challenges. First, the County invested in 100 Safe Stay beds dedicated to individuals experiencing both homelessness and behavioral health issues. Currently, 80 BHS dedicated beds are open. There are 56 beds at the East Parkway campus, and 24 beds are located at the Florin Safe Stay campus. There are currently 20 BHS Safe Stay beds under construction at the Stockton Safe Stay campus.

The second strategy involves collaborating with community-based organizations in Sacramento County to generate innovative ideas for transitional housing. On July 9, 2024, the County, approved adding approximately 135 beds for individuals with behavioral health challenges, including sober living programs. These beds are in various phases of construction.

With this additional round of funding awarded to Sacramento County, BHS will support the construction of 66 new Safe Stay beds for the Watt Safe Stay Campus. In total, with all funding, BHBH will support the addition of

301 beds for individuals experiencing homelessness with behavioral health conditions.

MISSION OAKS RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT FALL ACTIVITY GUIDE

The Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District (MORPD) has released its new [Fall/Winter Activity Guide](#). The Guide features activities like preschool, sports, holiday events, facility rentals, and more.

The MORPD is hard at work adding programs to benefit you and your family. For more information about the Park District and available activities, please visit the [Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District website](#).



FAIR OAKS RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT FALL ACTIVITY GUIDE

The Fair Oaks Recreation and Park District (FORPD) also has many programs for families. Check them out in [FORPD's newly released Digital Activity Guide for Fall 2024](#). The Guide is a terrific resource for Fair Oaks and surrounding communities for upcoming events, classes, and programs like preschool, sports, dance, childcare, and more.

For more information about the Park District or available activities, please visit the [Fair Oaks Recreation and Park District website](#).



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