

THE CITY OF POMONA

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS

FROM: JAMES W. MAKSHANOFF, CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: WEEKLY REPORT - Thursday, June 23, 2022

ADMINISTRATION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS

No City Council Meeting on Monday 7/4/2022 (Independence Day)

♣ City Council Meeting: Monday 7/18/2022

Closed Session 5:30 p.m. Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

All public meeting agendas are posted on our website.

CITY CLERK

CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS - UPCOMING MEETINGS

- June 27, 2022 Cultural Arts Commission
- June 28, 2022 Community Life Commission

COMMUNITY SERVICES

SUMMER POOL SEASON IS HERE!

The City's pools at Washington and Ganesha Park are open Tuesdays – Sundays from 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. from June 10th through August 14th. Both pools are closed on Mondays for maintenance. Extended weekend swim will be offered at both pools on Saturday, August 20th and 27th and Sunday, August 21st and 28th. Night swim occurs at Ganesha Pool on Wednesdays and Fridays from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Ganesha pool is also available to rent. Please contact (909) 620-2321 for additional information on pools and rentals.

The YMCA of Orange County has once again been contracted for pool operations which will included swim lessons. The YMCA's staff are trained in working with diverse needs and inclusivity, so all abilities are welcome! For additional information or to register for swim lessons, please contact the YMCA at (714) 879-9622.

POMONA CONCERT BAND - SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

The City of Pomona has a long standing relationship with the Pomona Concert Band, which is celebrating its 75th anniversary! The Pomona Concert Band will kick off its annual summer concert series next month.

The eight-part weekly summer concert series will be held at Ganesha Park in the G. Stanton Selby Bandshell on Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m., beginning July 7th through August 25th. Concerts are FREE and open to the public.

SUMMER RECREATION GUIDE

Community Services recognizes that it's vital to disseminate information in various fashions (print, electronically, social media, website, etc.) to better communicate with Pomona residents.

Accordingly, Community Services is thrilled to be able to mail out the Summer Recreation Program and Service Guide to all Pomona households for the second consecutive year. The guide will include valuable information on programming, upcoming special events, resources, City news, camps, youth sports, and a recreation classes,

Due to a paper shortage and supply chain issues with the printer, the guide was not able to be printed with its usual high-quality glossy paper and did not get mailed until June 6th.

To view the Recreation Guide please visit bit.ly/pomonarecguide

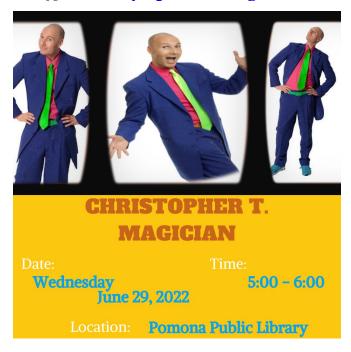
NEW-MUSIC SATURDAYS

Musically interested youth age 7-17 are encouraged to check out Music Saturdays! These FREE classes will take place from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the La Casita Teen Center at Palomares Park on seven consecutive Saturdays, beginning June 25th through August 6th. Participants will receive an introductory to vocal coaching, percussion instruments and playing the recorder. For additional information, please call (909) 802-7730 or visit bit.ly/pomonarecreation to register.

LIBRARY

SUMMER READING PROGRAM - WEEK 4

Join us on Wednesday, June 29th at 5 p.m. for a not-so-traditional magic show full of fun and hilarious tricks courtesy of Christopher T. Magician! Signups are not required to attend, however participation in the reading challenges means you are eligible for prizes – there are separate challenges and prizes for kids and teens! Contact the Library for more details at **909-620-2043** or library@pomonaca.gov



POLICE

DUI/CDL CHECKPOINT

On Friday night July 1, 2022 the Police Department will conduct a two-direction checkpoint on a major thoroughfare in Pomona. This checkpoint is OTS grant funded and will start at 9:00 p.m.

PLANNING

LATEST PLANNING COMMISSION DECISIONS AND APPEAL DATES LISTED BELOW:

PLANNING COMMISSION (PC) AGENDA ITEMS

	Project Description	PC Decision	Appeal Ends
Preston Chan, UTC Development, LLC 3191 W. Temple Ave. CC District No. 5 (Tentative Tract Map)	A request for the subdivision of airspace at an existing office building into 35, for-sale office condominium units for professional and medical office use located within the "C-4" Highway Commercial Zone of the Pomona Zoning Code.	TRACTMAP- 017412-2021 Approved June 22, 2022	July 12, 2022
Elda Gaona, Lily's Tacos 901 N. Garey Ave. CC District No. 1 (Conditional Use Permit)	A request of a Conditional Use Permit (CUP-017875- 2022) to allow for a Type- 41 Alcohol License (on-sale beer and wine) in conjunction with an existing full-service restaurant located in the Downtown Gateway Segment of the Pomona Corridors Specific Plan.	CUP-017875-2022 Approved June 22, 2022	July 12, 2022
Homage Brewing 281 S. Thomas St., Suite 101 CC District No. 2 (Modification of Conditional Use Permit)	A request to modify a Conditional Use Permit (CUP-018097-2022) for on-sale and off-sale alcohol for a small scale beverage manufacturer at an existing facility located within the Mixed-use Commercial Business District of the Downtown Specific Plan.	CUP-018097-2022 Approved June 22, 2022	July 12. 2022

ZONING CODE UPDATE

On June 23, 2022, Planning Division Staff provided the Planning Commission with an update on public engagement efforts for the comprehensive update to the Pomona Zoning Ordinance ("Code Update"). Between April and May of 2022, Staff publicly engaged the community on the Zoning Code Update through the City Website, City Instagram and Facebook platforms, and a series of public meetings and "pop-up" events.

The public was engaged on content that was similar to that presented to the Planning Commission. On April 13, 2022, Staff presented the draft Zoning Map to the Planning Commission and shared three-dimensional modeling demonstrating potential zoning metrics. This modeling tested the viability of development on individual parcels and the ability to achieve the goals outlined in the 2014 Pomona General Plan. Staff provided a summary of the key issues (Fig 1.4, below) that were raised on the topics and themes pertaining to the code update. Staff intends to incorporate the comments received into its analysis as part of drafting zoning districts, and intends to return to the community in Fall 2022 with additional engagement and updates.

For Code Update, the Planning Division is continuing its community engagement approach of "meeting community members where they are," by utilizing different approaches to outreach and using different platforms for sharing information with the general public. The traditional approach of a standing, single community meeting was retained, but a more robust strategy of "pop-up" events was deployed. Staff conducted 27 pop-up events and locations included local grocery stores, local parks, community events, local gathering centers, and houses of worship in 18 different locations. These pop-up events were intended to bridge the gap between local government and community members who may not be able to participate in community meetings. The goal of these pop-up events was to gather community input from a variety of census tracts and community events to diversify the input Staff receives as well gain feedback from the community on the renderings before drafting district standards.

Visit: www.pomonaca.gov/codeupdate for more information!

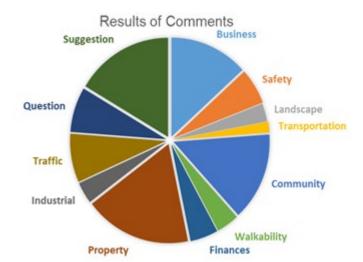


Fig.1.4. Comment Results

PUBLIC WORKS

<u>UPDATED: DETOUR TRAFFIC FROM EAST END AVENUE CLOSURE IN THE CITY OF CHINO EXTENDED</u>

An industrial project in the City of Chino is underway on the northwest corner of the intersection at East End Avenue and County Road. The project includes roadway reconstruction and utility improvements that requires the closure of East End Ave and County Road. East End Avenue, from Napa Drive to County Road, has been closed daily since Monday, May 23, 2022. The closure will be extended to Friday, July 8, 2022, from

7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. As part of another construction phase, County Road will close later this year (specific dates to be determined). Updates and notifications regarding this work will be made as this phase gets closer to groundbreaking.

The detour route will use Philadelphia Street, Reservoir Street, and County Road through the City of Pomona for both construction projects. Appropriate detour signage will be in place during the roadway closures to direct motorists to and through the detour.

SR-71 FULL FREEWAY OVERNIGHT CLOSURE

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will conduct a full freeway overnight closure of the SR-71 for Southern California Edison (SCE) work associated with the SR-71 Widening Project. An overhead line reconductor will be installed, requiring the reconnection of the power lines to relocated power poles. The closure will begin on Sunday, June 26, 2022 (Southbound lanes at 10:30 p.m. and Northbound lanes at 11:00 p.m.) and end on Monday, June 27, 2022 at 4:00 a.m. (both directions).

The schedule is weather permitting, and all dates and times are subject to change.

Detours will be posted. Motorists should expect delays and are strongly advised to avoid the area and use alternate routes.

SOCALGAS - MANNED FLIGHT - AERIAL METHANE MAPPING (AMM)

Pipeline safetly and maintenance continues to be a top priority for So Cal Gas (SCG). SCG will be working with a helicopter company to map any methane emissions over SCG infrastructures in the citities of Ontario, Rancho Cucamonga, Monclair, Pomona, Claremont, and San Dimas. This exciting new technology allows SCG to detect methane emissions from the air at a 500 feet altitude (within normal FAA flight operations regulations.)

- \bullet $\;$ The flights are expected to be the week of June 27^{th} , weather permitting.
- The helicopter will be go in a back-and-forth "lawnmower" pattern at about 500 feet.
- Hours of operation will be from 8 A.M. to 5 P.M.
- There is no threat to the community. On the contrary, detection of methane emissions is another method for helping to keep the communities we serve safe. This is part of our SB 1371 natural gas emissions reduction program.
- These flights are a portion a larger program to map any emissions over the many cities and unincorporated areas served by So Cal Gas.

If you have any questions regarding the helicopter activity, please contact So Cal Gas Customer Contact Center at **1-800-427-2200**. Company representatives are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.



COVID-19 RESOURCES

General (Updates are highlighted)

POMONA CONNECT

Through Pomona Connect, the City of Pomona is working to provide a hub for COVID-19 related updates and resources available to the community including vaccine events, rent relief information, food resources, volunteering and more. To find out more about the resources available to assist those in need, please go to PomonaConnect.com You can sign up for many resources directly, register for updates, find an event in your area to learn about resources in person, or learn how you can spread the word by volunteering. You can also contact Pomona Connect at (909) 620-2435. Reach out and connect with Pomona Connect!

COVID TEST

All services are free and can be accessed here.

VACCINES

Hendricks Pharmacy @ **Royalty Pharmacy** - **1902 Royalty Drive STE 110** For ages 5+. All three brands of the COVID-19 Vaccine available: Pfizer, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson (J&J). Boosters available. Flu shots also available. Info here.

The following websites provide up to date information on vaccines:

- LA County: VaccinateLACounty.com & LA Co. Vaccination Appointments Site
- California: California Depart. of Public Health & VaccineFinder.org Site

Vaccine Appointments in LA County

- **My Turn** (<u>myturn.ca.gov</u>) & CA COVID-19 Hotline 1-833-422-4255.
- LA Co. Phone Appointments: 833-540-0473, 7 days/week, 8 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

ATTACHMENT

1. Upcoming Pomona Events

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
Housing Rights Center Daily Events	Housing Rights Workshop, Clinics and Live Q&A	Various	Visit their Facebook page for more info.	facebook.com/HousingRights Center
Tri-City Wednesday/Thursday	Virtual Gardening	Various	Join TCG/ Tri-City to practice mindfulness. Lean how gardening and nature can have a positive impact on mental health and wellness.	Contact (909) 623-6131 to learn how to participate
Community Resource Center	Free In Person Fitness		Exercise (Yoga, Zumba, etc.), Nutrition and Healthy Cooking, Health Education, and Children's Classes.	View calendar here
Inter Valley Health Plan	Virtual Vitality Classes	Various	Join Inter Valley for free and informative live classes. RSVP for login info.	https://www.ivhp.com/vitality
Hendricks Pharmacy	Vaccination Clinic	Make appointment	For ages 5+. All three brands of the COVID-19 Vaccine available: Pfizer, Moderna, and Janssen (J&J). Boosters available. Flu shots also available. Info here.	Royalty Pharmacy 1902 Royalty Dr. Suite 110
Pomona Chamber 2 nd Wednesday	Networking at Noon	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber to learn about the latest trends and community happenings.	Metro Ale House
Pomona Chamber Last Friday of the Month	Coffee Connections	8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Pomona Chamber of Commerce invites you to come out and grab a cup of coffee and join in networking with businesses and community leaders	Starbucks 101 W Mission Blvd
DPOA Every 2 nd Saturday	Downtown Pomona Artwalk	5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Art vendors, food, music, craft vendors and more.	119 W 2 nd St.
DPOA Every 4th Saturday	Downtown Pomona 909 Open Market	5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Art vendors, food, music, craft vendors and more.	119 W 2 nd St.
City of Pomona	Virtual Community Center	Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.	Community Services staff is available to answer your questions and help register you for FREE community classes in their virtual space on Zoom. You may also reach them at (909) 620-2324.	Zoom with our Staff: bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenter
County of Los Angeles	COVID-19 Testing	Mon – Sat 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.	COVID-19 Testing. Appointments only.	Fairplex Gate 17
San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center	COVID-19 Testing	Mon - Thurs 9 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	COVID-19 Testing. Register here.	75 Rancho Camino Dr.
American Legion	COVID-19 Testing	Mon- Sat 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Free COVID Testing site, no appointment needed.	239 E Holt Ave.
Pomona USD	COVID-19 Testing	Sun – Thurs 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.	COVID-19 Testing.	The Village @ Indian Hill Conf. Center Entrance 1
COVID TESTING	COVID-19 Testing	Mon – Fri 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Drive-thru COVID-19 Testing May 3rd- June 3rd	Palomares Park
LAC Department Of Public Health	Weekly Conversations with a Doctor	Wed, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m. English Wed, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m. Spanish	Join LACDPW invites you to attend weekly sessions to learn about newly released information on COVID-19 and get your questions answered.	tinyurl.com/CovidConvoENG tinyurl.com/CovidConvoSPAN
LA Care Health Plan	Free Food Pantry	Every Friday, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	In partnership with God's Pantry, distribution of free	Community Resource Center

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			grocery items every week on a first come, first served basis. Everyone is welcome.	696 W Holt Ave.
June 10 – August 14	City Summer Pools	Tues – Sunday 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Stay cool in the Summer heat and visit our City pools.	Ganesha Pool Washington Pool
June 15 – August 5	Night Swim	Wed & Fri. 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Stay cool in the Summer heat and visit our City pools.	Ganesha Pool
Saturday, June 25	Food Pantry	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Abundant Living Family Church is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E Laverne Ave.
Saturday, June 25	Poor People Unite 4 Justice March & Rally	11 a.m. – 3 p.m.	NAACP is hosting this Call-to-Action fight against Systemic Structural Racism, looking for Affordable Housing, Decent Education for all Kids, Universal Healthcare, a Safer Community and more services for Veterans and Senior Citizens.	505 S Garey Ave. (front of Library)
Sun. July 3 – Sat. July 9	Free Camp Oakes		City of Pomona is collaborating with Camp Oakes will send a limited number of youth to camp for free. It offers wide variety of activities.	Camp Oakes Big Bear
Monday, July 4	CITY HALL CLOSED		In observance of Independence Day	
Wednesday, July 6	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	<u>Drive-Thru Food Pantry</u>	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.
Thursday, July 7	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Symphonic Celebration	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Friday, July 8	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks for a movie under the stars.	John F. Kennedy Park 1150 Fairplex Dr.
Saturday, July 9	Back to School Back Pack Giveaway	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Join L.A. Care & Blue Shield Promise Community Resource Center for this event.	Palomares Park
Sun. July 10 – Sat. July 16	Free Camp Oakes		City of Pomona is collaborating with Camp Oakes will send a limited number of youth to camp for free. It offers wide variety of activities.	Camp Oakes Big Bear
Thursday, July 14	134 th Annual Awards & Installation Celebration	6 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber of Commerce as they host their Awards & Installation of Officers Dinner.	Double Tree By Hilton Pomona
Thursday, July 14	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Strike Up the Band	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Friday, July 15	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks for a movie under the stars.	Civic Center Plaza 505 S Garey Ave.
Friday, July 22	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks for a movie under the stars.	Washington Park 865 E. Grand Ave.
Monday, July 18	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda here: bit.ly/pomonaagendas. Watch on Spectrum/FiOS Ch. 29 and at Pomona Live Streaming.	City Council Chambers

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Wednesday, July 20	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	<u>Drive-Thru Food Pantry</u>	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.
Thursday, July 21	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Carnival of the Animals	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Thursday, July 28	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	PCB'S Got Talent	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Wed. June 29 – Fri. July 8	Free 10 Day Overnight Camp		City of Pomona is collaborating with Camp Bob Waldorf will send a limited number of youth to camp for free. It offers wide variety of activities.	Camp Bod Waldof Glendale
Friday, July 29	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks for a movie under the stars.	Garfield Park 801 E. Holt Ave.
Mon. June 29 – Wed. July 8	Free 10 Day Overnight Camp		City of Pomona is collaborating with Camp Bob Waldorf will send a limited number of youth to camp for free. It offers wide variety of activities.	Camp Bod Waldof Glendale
Saturday, July 30	Food Pantry	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Abundant Living Family Church is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E Laverne Ave.
Tuesday, August 2	National Night Out	TBD	Join Pomona Police for food, games, music and wholesome family fun. Together we can build a stronger and safer community.	TBD
Thursday, August 4	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Concert in the Park	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Friday, August 5	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks for a movie under the stars.	Westmont Park 1808 W Ninth St.
Thursday, August 11	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Celebrating 75 Years	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Friday, August 12	Movies in the Park	Sunset	Dive-in viewing.	Ganesha Pool
Thursday, August 18	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Something Old, Something New	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Sat/ Sun Aug 20 & 21	Extended Weekend Swim	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Stay cool in the Summer heat and visit our City pools.	Ganesha & Washington
Thursday, August 25	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	7:30 p.m.	Stage & Screen, America Sings	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Saturday, August 27	Food Pantry	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Abundant Living Family Church is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E Laverne Ave.
Sat/ Sun Aug 27 & 28	Extended Weekend Swim	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Stay cool in the Summer heat and visit our City pools.	Ganesha & Washington
Sunday , August 28	The Pomona Concert Band's Summer Concert Series	5 p.m.	Bonus Concert – Golden State British Brass Band	Ganesha Park G. Stanton Selby Bandshell
Wednesday, September 7	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Drive-Thru Food Pantry	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.

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Wednesday, September 21	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Drive-Thru Food Pantry	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.
Saturday, September 24	Food Pantry	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Abundant Living Family Church is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E Laverne Ave.
Wednesday, October 5	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Drive-Thru Food Pantry	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.
Wednesday, October 19	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Drive-Thru Food Pantry	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.
Saturday, October 22	Food Pantry	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Abundant Living Family Church is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E Laverne Ave.
Wednesday, December 14	Sowing Seeds for Life Drive-Thru Food Pantry	8 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Annual Holiday Distribution <u>Drive-Thru Food Pantry</u>	Charisma Life Church 305 E Arrow Hwy.