

# THE CITY OF POMONA

#### TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS

ANITA D. GUTIERREZ, CITY MANAGER FROM:

## SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S REPORT - Thursday, June 20, 2024

## **ADMINISTRATION CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS**

#### 🖊 <u>City Council Meeting: Monday, 7/1/2024</u>

Closed Session Meeting:

5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

🖊 <u>City Council Meeting: Monday, 7/15/2024</u> Closed Session Meeting:

5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

All public meeting agendas are posted on our website.

## **CITY CLERK CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS- UPCOMING MEETINGS**

- June 24, 2024 Cultural Arts Commission
- June 25, 2024 Community Life Commission
- June 26, 2024 Planning Commission

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## **COMMISSIONER/COMMITTEE VACANCIES**

If interested, fill out an application and email it to cityclerk@pomonaca.gov. For more information, please visit the Boards, Commissions, and Committees webpage.

**Current Vacancies:** Citizens Oversight Committee - 1 opening **Community Life Commission – 3 openings** Cultural Arts Commission – 1 opening Ethics Commission – 1 opening Fairplex Mitigation Fund Advisory Committee - 2 openings Historical Preservation Committee - 1 opening Parks & Recreation Commission - 1 opening Planning Commission – 1 opening

# **COMMUNITY SERVICES**

## **2024 SUMMER RECREATION GUIDE NOW AVAILABLE**

Keep an eye out for the 2024 Summer Recreation Program and Service Guide, which was mailed to Pomona households. The guide contains valuable information on resources, City news, upcoming special events, camps, youth sports, and a complete listing of adult recreation classes. Check out the summer guide <u>online</u>. To register for activities, visit <u>bit.ly/pomonarecreation</u>. Space is limited, so sign up soon to secure your spot!

#### FREE SUMMER CONCERT AT CIVIC CENTER PLAZA

Join us on Saturday, June 22, 2024 at Civic Center Plaza from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00pm as a Mariachi band takes the stage. Bring your family, lawn chairs, a picnic dinner, and enjoy an evening filled with lively music and great vibes. Don't miss this special celebration of culture and joy!

#### 2nd ANNUAL GO SKATEBOARDING DAY

Join us in celebrating Go Skateboarding Day on Friday, June 21, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Shaun Diamond Plaza. Whether you are an experienced skater, trying skateboarding for the first time, or just want to come check some rad tricks, this FREE, global event is open to everyone. Enjoy music, skate demonstrations, giveaways, food, and ice cream (while supplies last). Meet up with friends and other skateboarders for an event that promotes creativity, inclusivity, healthy living, and community spirit. All ages and skill levels are welcome!

# HUMAN RESOURCES

#### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Are you interested in pursuing a career in local government? If so, the City of Pomona is an excellent option to consider! The City offers a generous benefit package that include medical, dental, life, and disability insurance, vacation leave and paid holiday, as well retirement benefits. Please browse our <u>current job openings</u> to see if a position is right for you. If you need assistance locating your ideal job, please fill out a "Job Interest Card," you'll receive automated email notifications for job openings that match your preferred job categories within the City of Pomona. Don't hesitate to <u>apply</u> today! Explore the current job opportunities:

Job Title	Job Type	Salary	Issue Date	Filing Date
Engineering Intern (Public Works)	Part-Time	\$18.00 - \$24.13 hourly	11/27/23	Continuous
Lateral Police Officer	Full-Time	\$7,964.00 - \$9,723.00 monthly	01/03/24	Continuous
Payroll Coordinator	Full-Time	\$4,766.00 - \$5,792.00 monthly	04/16/24	Continuous
Police Officer Recruit	Full-Time	\$6,896.00/Month	06/17/24	07/14/24
Utility System Technician	Full-Time	\$7,431.00 - \$9,036.00 monthly	05/14/24	Continuous

#### Promotional Opportunities

Job Title	Job Type	Salary	Issue Date	Filing Date
Senior Civil Engineer <b>NEW!</b>	Full-Time	\$10,758.00 - \$13,082.00 monthly	06/13/24	06/26/24

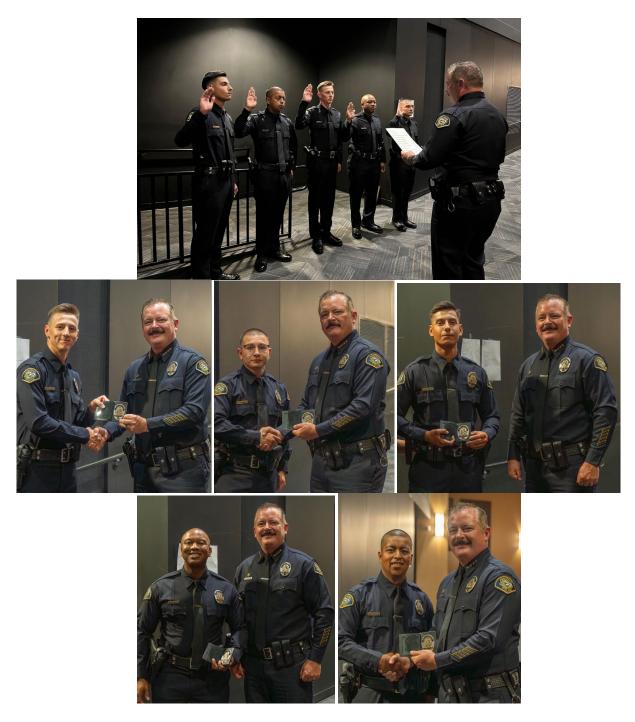
#### **LIBRARY** SUMMER READING EVENT – WEEK 2

Join us on Wednesday June 26th at 5pm for a Mad Science show and free book giveaway! Registration is not required to attend the event. We encourage you to stop inside the Library to sign up for our Children's Summer Reading Challenge or Tween/Teen Summer Reading Program! Contact the Library for more details at **909**-**620-2043** or **library@pomonaca.gov** 



## **POLICE** <u>OFFICERS GRADUATE FROM SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SHERIFF'S</u> <u>ACADEMY</u>

The Police Department would like to welcome five new additions to our department. Officers Jesus Palacios, Jacob Rivera, Bryan Monteon-Hernandez, Dejon Miller and Richard Walczak graduated from the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Academy on June 13, 2024. They were sworn in by Chief of Police Michael Ellis and will begin their field training program soon. Congratulations to our newest officers and welcome to the Pomona Police Department!



#### LIEUTENANTS GRADUATE FROM EXECUTIVE DRUCKER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

On June 15, 2024, Lieutenants Alyssa Bostrom and Deon Brown graduated from California Police Chiefs Executive Leadership's Drucker School of Management. This two week course focuses on core objectives such as leadership, creating an exemplary policing organization, leading during crisis, finance, women in leadership, creating a culture of accountability, creating and maintaining the high reliability organization, time evaluation and self-evaluation. Congratulations Lieutenants Bostrom and Brown on this accomplishment!



# **PUBLIC WORKS** SR-71 FREEWAY CONNECTOR AND ON - RAMP CLOSURES

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has announced various closures of State Route 71 (SR-71) between State Route 60 (SR-60) on Monday, June 24 through Friday, June 28 for road repair work. EXTENDED CLOSURE – The Rio Rancho on-ramp to Northbound SR-71 will be closed from June 10, 2024 through September 30, 2024 for ramp realignment. Detours will be posted.

The closures are as follows and are subject to change:

## Monday, June 24

- Westbound SR-60 connector to Northbound SR-71 closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- Southbound SR-71 on-ramp from Rio Rancho Road from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## Tuesday, June 25

- Westbound SR-60 connector to Northbound SR-71 closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- Southbound SR-71 on-ramp from Rio Rancho Road from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday, June 26

- Westbound SR-60 connector to Northbound SR-71 closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- Southbound SR-71 on-ramp from Rio Rancho Road from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## Thursday, June 27

- Westbound SR-60 connector to Northbound SR-71 closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.
- Southbound SR-71 on-ramp from Rio Rancho Road from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

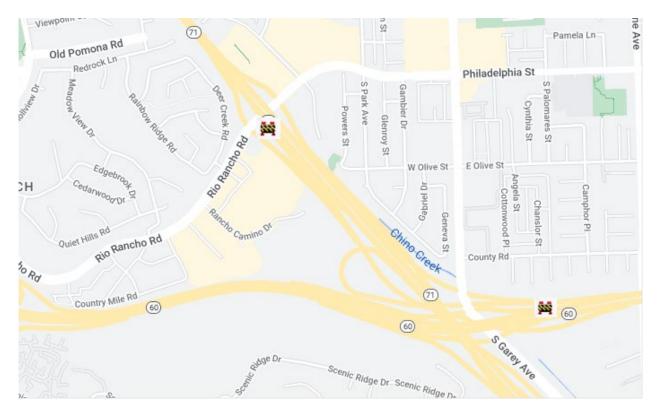
## Friday, June 28

• Westbound SR-60 connector to Northbound SR-71 closed from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.

Residents and businesses located near the freeway are advised to anticipate noise and vibrations associated with construction activities.

Motorists should expect delays and are strongly advised to avoid the area and use alternate routes. Additionally, motorists can check traffic conditions before they leave by visiting the Caltrans <u>Quickmap</u> (quickmap.dot.ca.gov).

Caltrans reminds motorists to "Be Work Zone Alert" and "Slow for the Cone Zone."



#### **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/HousingRigh tsCenter
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 <u>here</u>
Pomona Chamber 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	Networking at Noon	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber to learn about the latest trends and community happenings.	Los Primos Tacos #1
Pomona Chamber Last Friday of the Month	Coffee Connections	9 a.m. – 12:30 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	1013 San Bernardino Ave.
DPOA Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Downtown Pomona Artwalk	5 p.m. – 10 p.m.	Art vendors, food, music, craft vendors and more.	119 W 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
DPOA 1 <sup>st</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday	Downtown Pomona <u>909 Open Market</u>	5 p.m. – 9 p.m. Sat. 4 p.m. – 8 p.m. Thurs.	Art vendors, food, music, craft vendors and more.	490 E 4 <sup>th</sup> St.
County of LA Public Health	<u>Wellness Center</u> <u>Cafecito Hour</u>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays of the Month 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Come enjoy a free cup of coffee. Ask about mental wellbeing, share experiences or concerns you have about the community and get connected with the resources you need to live a healthy life.	Pomona Public Library
PCS Family Services	Youth Anger Management	Tues/ Thurs 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Classes are free. Help with triggers and cues, learn anger reductions techniques and much more! More information 909-620-0688	Zoom Classes
AMOCA	<u>First Friday</u> <u>Pay-what-you-can</u>	First Friday of the month 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Thanks to generous support from AMOCA's Board of Directors, Museum admission for First Fridays at AMOCA is pay what you can (while tickets last). Each month, visit the Museum and choose your own ticket prices!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
Pomona Valley Certified Farmers Market	Pomona Farmers Market	Every Saturday 8 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Farmers & Crafters Market with a big heart. Come support small businesses. Lots of vendors, from crafts, produce, tamales, bread, and honey!	Pearl St. & Garey Ave.
Community Services	Senior Social	Tuesdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Crafts, activities, exercise and fun!	Washington & Palomares Park Senior Center
Community Services	Senior Activities – Bingo	Tuesdays & Thursdays 11 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Senior Activities – Bingo	Washington & Palomares Community Center
Community Services	Lawn Bowling	Mondays & Wednesdays 10 a.m.	Pomona Lawn Bowling Club	451 E Arrow Hwy.
Lopez Urban Farm	<u>Pay-What-You-Can</u> <u>Take-What-You-Need</u>	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Market night Wednesdays, Harvest Day Saturdays, and Bodega open daily.	1034 W Mission Blvd.
For the Love of Giving	Basic Essentials Distribution	Last Wednesday of the	Distribute household items like diapers, cleaning products	Alliance Community

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		month 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	and toiletries.	Cultural Center 406 W 2nd St.
Abundance Living Family Church	Food Pantry	4th Saturday of the month 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	ALFC Food pantry. Distribution of prepackaged, non-perishables food boxes. Each family receives 2-3 boxes.	490 E La Verne Ave.
LA Care Health Plan	Free Food Pantry	Last Friday of the month 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.	In partnership with God's Pantry, distribution of free grocery items on a first come, first served basis. Free groceries, Free resources, everyone is welcome.	Pomona Community Wellness Center 750 S. Park Ave.
Pomona Community Wellness Center	Free Produce Distribution	Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday 12 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Come and get your fresh produce, while supplies last.	750 S Park Ave.
Historic Society of Pomona Valley	Ebell Museum of Local History	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Open to the public, free of charge, on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays	585 E Holt Ave.
Tri-City Mental Health Services	Compassion 101: (Re) Connecting to Our Humanity	April 19 & 26, May 10 & 17, & June 3 4 p.m. – 6 p.m.	<ul> <li>The project offered youth the opportunity to participate in monthly workshops centered on mental health, race, culture, tolerance, empathy, and compassion, an intensive one-day tolerance workshop, a field trip to the Museum of Tolerance, and a human library event.</li> <li>The Living Stories: Pomona Edition event will be held on Friday, June 7, 2024. More info 909-282-3721</li> </ul>	Pomona Library
Tri-City Mental Health Services	Baby & Me	Every Wednesday	A support group for parents and their children to improve bonding and foster social skills through fun and interactive activities. Come have fun and explore with your child, ages 2-4. Please wear comfortable shoes.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, June 22	Food Pantry: Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	AFLC is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E La Verne Ave.
Sunday, June 23	Phillips Mansion & Currier House Tour		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <u>tour</u> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! <u>Book now \$15</u> .	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Tuesday, June 25	Household Universal (HUG) Program Event	2 p.m. – 7 p.m.	Are you a Pomona resident with a child under 4? You may be eligible for a \$500 monthly stipend for up to 18 months. <u>More info here</u> .	Pomona Public Library
Wednesday, June 26	Healthy in Pomona	3:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Wellness Center for this in person meeting. Register here.	750 S Park Ave. #101
Saturday, June 29	<u>Clean Up Events</u> Recycle Used Motor Oil & Filters	8 .m. – 12 p.m.	Athens Services is providing Pomona residents with a series of clean-up collections events for bulky items, electronic waste, recycle used motor oil/ filters and shredding services at no charge. These events are for <b>Pomona residents only, must show ID, proof of</b>	Palomares Park

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			residency or utility bill.	
Sunday, June 30	Spadra Cemetery Tour		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley for The historic Spadra Cemetery Tour which is one of the oldest cemeteries in the Pomona Valley! <u>Book now \$10</u> .	2850 Pomona Blvd.
Monday, July 1	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <u>here</u> . Watch on Spectrum/FiOS Ch. 29 and at <u>Pomona Live Streaming</u> .	City Council Chambers
Wednesday, July 3	Blood Drive	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.		The Ra
Thursday, July 4	City Hall Closed		In observance of Independence Day	
Wednesday, July 10	District 1 Area Commander Meeting	6 p.m.	Police updates for District 1 community. Work groups in attendance: Quality of Life, Traffic Bureau, Sexual Exploitation Traffic Team, Office of Violence Prevention (CalVip)	Ganesha Park
Sunday, July 7	Palomares Adobe & Gift Shop Tour		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the restored 1854 Palomares Adobe! Book now \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Sunday, July 14	<u>The Barbara Greenwood</u> <u>Kindergarten</u>		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <u>tour</u> the lovely craftsman built to suit the smaller stature of younger students! <u>Book now \$5</u> .	322 W McKinley Ave.
Monday, July 15	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <u>here</u> . Watch on Spectrum/FiOS Ch. 29 and at <u>Pomona Live Streaming</u> .	City Council Chambers
Sunday, July 21	Phillips Mansion & Currier House Tour		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <u>tour</u> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! <u>Book now \$15.</u>	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Saturday, July 27	Food Pantry: Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	AFLC is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E La Verne Ave.
Sunday, July 28	Spadra Cemetery Tour		Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley for The historic Spadra Cemetery Tour which is one of the oldest cemeteries in the Pomona Valley! <u>Book now \$10</u> .	2850 Pomona Blvd.
Monday, August 5	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <u>here</u> . Watch on Spectrum/FiOS Ch. 29 and at <u>Pomona Live Streaming</u> .	City Council Chambers
Wednesday, August 7	Rent Stabilization Study Session	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Rent Stabilization Study Session	Palomares Center
Saturday, August 17	Dress for Success Event	11 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Women in Process in collaboration with CDCR, State Parole amongst many other agencies and centers will be holding a Dress for Success Event offering services to	Prototypes Women's Center 845 E Arrow Hwy.

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			women affected by incarceration	
Saturday, August 24	Food Pantry: Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	AFLC is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E La Verne Ave.
Monday, September 2	City Hall Closed		In observance of Labor Day	
Monday, September 9	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <u>here</u> . Watch on Spectrum/FiOS Ch. 29 and at <u>Pomona Live Streaming</u> .	City Council Chambers
Saturday, September 21	<u>Clean Up Events</u>	8 .m. – 12 p.m.	Athens Services is providing Pomona residents with a series of clean-up collections events for bulky items, electronic waste and shredding services at no charge. These events are for <b>Pomona residents only, must show ID, proof of residency or utility bill.</b>	Palomares Park
Saturday, September 28	Food Pantry: Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	AFLC is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E La Verne Ave.
Saturday, October 5	4th Annual Kindness Carnival	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	4th Annual Kindness Carnival	Washington Park
Saturday, October 12	Free Compost	8 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Free compost for residents of Pomona. More info here.	Palomares Park
Saturday, October 26	Food Pantry: Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	AFLC is hosting a Food Pantry	490 E La Verne Ave.
Saturday, November 2	<u>Clean Up Events</u>	8 .m. – 12 p.m.	Athens Services is providing Pomona residents with a series of clean-up collections events for bulky items, electronic waste and shredding services at no charge. These events are for <b>Pomona residents only, must show ID, proof of residency or utility bill.</b>	Palomares Park
Monday, November 11	City Hall Closed		In observance of Veterans Day	
Saturday, November 16	8 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Christmas on Columbia Decorating Day	Join your community and volunteers! A light breakfast, and full lunch will be provided. Great opportunity to earn volunteer hours. And meet your neighbor. (street will be closed 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. to traffic)	400 Block of W. Columbia Ave.
Saturday, November 16	Food Pantry: Family to Family Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Join ALFC who will be giving out 500 Turkeys and gift cards for up to 500 families.	490 E La Verne Ave.
Thursday, November 28	City Hall Closed		In observance of Thanksgiving	
Saturday, December 7	4 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Christmas on Columbia Kick-Off Event	Join your community for a festive kick off to the holidays. Street will be closed from 1 p.m. – 10 p.m. to traffic, due to vendors and entertainment.	400 Block of W. Columbia Ave.
Saturday, December 21	Food Pantry: Gifts from the Heart - Abundant Living Family Church (AFLC)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Join ALFC for their Annual Toy Distribution. Registration required.	490 E La Verne Ave.

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Tues. Dec 24 - Wed. Jan 1	City Hall Closed		In observance of the Holidays	