

# Concord City News

THE NEWSLETTER FOR THE CITY OF CONCORD

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## News Corner

### Spread the word

Residents can place information about upcoming events on the website created for the 'Concord, Where Families Come First' campaign. It's easy. Go to the 'Submit an Event' button on the home page, fill in the details and you're done. Visit **Concordfirst.org**.

### Youth Job Fair

Young people ages 16 to 20 are invited to get a jump on the summer job search by attending the March 25 Concord PAL Youth Job Fair. The City and many local businesses looking for seasonal workers will participate. The event will be held at the Hilton Concord from 6 to 9 p.m. For more information, call **671-3400**.

### Citizen Academies

The City of Concord offers two academies for residents. The new Community Leadership Academy offers a broad survey of City operations and services (see story page 7). The Citizen Police Academy offers a behind the scenes look at the Concord Police Department. For more information, call **671-3237**.

## City and residents team up for spring time clean up

Spring is traditionally a time to clean out and clean up. Keeping homes and property neat and tidy has a dual benefit for residents - safety is increased and property values go up.

Well-kept properties go a long way in keeping neighborhoods safe. Streets with neatly trimmed landscaping, tidy yards and functioning exterior lighting discourage vandalism and theft.

In addition to the safety aspects, residents are reminded that property values go up in clean neighborhoods. A home is often a families' biggest investment. The best way to protect that investment is to keep homes and property clean and in good repair.

Listed below are a number of ways residents and the City can work together to improve our community. For example, City crews sweep residential streets every two weeks. This is more than any other city in the county. Residents can help them make a "clean sweep" by moving vehicles, basketball backboards and trash cans off the street on sweeping day. A street sweeping calendar is mailed to residents each June and is available on the City's website at [www.ci.concord.ca.us](http://www.ci.concord.ca.us), under Living in Concord/Maintaining our City/Street Sweeping. For more information call 671-3147.

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## Concord fans Olympic Flame

*Concord resident David Kory jogs off from the Todos Santos Plaza stage to begin his leg of the Olympic Torch Relay. The relay came through Concord on Saturday, January 19 on its way to the 2002 Salt Lake City Olympic Games. Thousands of residents lined the streets and filled the plaza for a once-in-a-lifetime look at the Olympic Flame.*

## Free clean-up service in April

Residents will receive free annual Spring Clean-Up Service during the month of April. Look for a mailer announcing your Spring Clean-Up day. Mailers will be sent two to three weeks in advance. The Spring Clean-Up provides curbside pickup of up to 2 cubic yards of material per household, or the amount equal to 14 30-gallon cans. Items not included in the pick-up: rocks, dirt, building materials, cement, oil, paint or other hazardous materials, furniture, appliances, car parts or items in excess of 50 lbs. Call Concord Disposal Service at 682-9113 for more information.

**Curbside, Green Waste Recycling**  
Items included in the weekly curbside recycling program include:

**The white container is for:**

- Glass bottles and jars
- Aluminum cans
- California redemption plastic soft drink bottles – PET #1
- Tin cans

- Colored and cloudy plastic HDPE #2 such as shampoo, bleach, detergent and milk containers
- Non-carbonated beverage containers

**The blue container is for:**

- Loose newspapers
- Colored paper
- White paper
- Computer paper
- Magazines
- Cardboard
- Advertising Inserts
- Phone Books
- Envelopes (without windows)

Green Waste Recycling is provided on your regular weekly trash and recycling day. Place up to five bags or two 32-gallon containers per week of greenwaste at curbside for recycling (limit 50 lbs. per container). Materials accepted include yard trimmings, grass clippings, leaves, flowers, and weeds. Bundle tree prunings (up to 4 ft. in length). Please call Concord Disposal Service 682-9113 with any questions. ♦

## Rebate offered on electric grasscycling mowers

Residents can turn in a gas lawn mower and receive a \$100 instant rebate on the purchase of an electric grasscycling mower this April through the Contra Costa lawn mower rebate program. The mowers are Black & Decker cordless models costing \$279 after rebate and corded models costing \$79 after rebate.

The first 200 people who bring a gas lawn mower to the Home Depot store in Pittsburg on Saturday, April 20, or to the Home Depot in San Ramon on Saturday, April 27 qualify for the rebate.

The program is sponsored by Concord, the county and 12 other cities.

Grasscycling is the natural practice of leaving clippings on the lawn when mowing. This can save time, money and other resources, such as landfill space. The clippings quickly decompose, returning nutrients to the soil. Proper turf management, in conjunction with the practice of grasscycling, can reduce water and fertilizer requirements, mowing time, and disposal costs.

For more information, contact Jeff Roubal, 671-3394. ♦

## Recycling goal met

State recycling law adopted in 1989 required cities to reduce the amount of solid waste sent to landfills by 25 percent by December 31, 1995 and by 50 percent by December 31, 2000. To meet these goals, the City Council has made a number of improvements to recycling programs over the past five years.



Today, the City administers over 30 state-approved recycling strategies to assure recycling goals are met. The City's current recycling rate is 53 percent, exceeding the required 50 percent. ♦

## Neighborhood Preservation award

Concord has won the California Association of Code Enforcement (CACE) award for the most innovative code-enforcement program in California.

To find out more about neighborhood programs visit the City's website at [www.ci.concord.ca.us](http://www.ci.concord.ca.us).  
Living in Concord/Neighborhoods

Numerous cities vied for the prestigious award. The Neighborhood Services Strategic Plan was a deciding factor in the award selection. This comprehensive plan spells out proactive strategies for upgrading the appearance of neighborhoods and business districts.

The strategic plan grew out of the city's Community Oriented Government (COG) initiative. One of its principal components is the Neighborhood Partnership Program, now at work in nearly 20 neighborhoods. The program establishes partnerships between City staff and neighborhood residents to identify specific issues and create workable solutions. ♦

## Spring time clean up

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### Don't "pile up" problems

Spring cleaning inside your home can lead to problems outside. Boxes and other materials left in the yard are unsightly and can cause a fire hazard. Recycle cardboard, make arrangements to have discards removed, donate serviceable items to charity or have a garage sale.

### Cut or remove weeds

Small green weeds now can mean tall brown weeds later. Removing weeds from your property throughout the spring months will mean less work this summer. Properties with excessive weeds and brush are subject to the City's Public Nuisance Ordinance.

### Remove or report graffiti

Graffiti is unsightly and unless it is quickly removed, results in neighboring properties becoming targets of graffiti. Concord has a zero graffiti tolerance policy. Property owners must remove graffiti found on their property as soon as possible. Residents are encouraged to call the Graffiti Hotline at 671-3080 to report graffiti.

### Check home and streetlights

Light is a great crime and accident prevention tool. At home, check porch, garage and backyard lights to ensure that they are in working order. The City coordinates street lighting services with PG&E. To report street light outages call 1-800-743-5000 or 671-3367.

### Report potholes

City crews maintain streets to maximize pavement life and provide a smooth ride, which minimize wear and tear on vehicles. Potholes are generally repaired within 24 hours of being reported. To report a pothole on city streets, call 671-3228. ♦

## How is my property doing?

The following checklist is designed to help you evaluate your own property for potential health, safety and maintenance conditions that may have been overlooked. Well-maintained homes increase the value of your property and make your neighborhood a more desirable place to live.

### Spring Home Maintenance Checklist

#### Exterior

- Yard area** • Remove weeds, standing water, junk, furniture, appliances, debris, dead trees or bushes. Check for holes in the ground and vegetation or fences that obstruct vision or sidewalks. Remove vehicles parked on unpaved surfaces.
- Fences and Gates** • Repair sagging, leaning, damaged or missing wood members, missing hinges and latches; paint or stain if needed.
- Landscaping** • Repair bare spots. Replace dead or missing plants. Remove weeds. Prune, water and maintain as needed.
- Garbage Cans** • Store out of public view except on the day of and the night before curbside collection. Containers should be in good condition with tight-fitting lids.
- Lighting** • Porch, garage, backyard lights in good working order.
- Irrigation** • Adequate to cover landscaped areas and in good working order
- Driveway** • Free of cracks, asphalt damage and potholes.
- Vehicles** • No inoperable vehicles or parts visible to neighbors or parked on unpaved surfaces
- Fruit trees and gardens** • No fruit or vegetables have been left to rot on trees or ground

- Swimming pools** • Fences around pool in good repair with gates working properly; pool properly maintained; equipment baffled to reduce noise.
- Roofs and Gutters** • No leaks, missing shingles or holes. Clear gutters of leaves and dirt.
- Foundations and Vents** • Check for crumbling materials or cracks, termite damage, missing screens and covers
- Porches and steps** • Repair broken, cracked or missing parts
- Windows** • Replace broken or cracked windows and missing screens.

#### Interior

- Basement/Under house** • Check pipes for damage or leaks and for frayed wiring. Remove trash, debris, combustibles. Note evidence of insect or rodent infestation.
- Interior of home** • Repair cracked walls. Electrical, plumbing and heating systems should be in good working order.
- Security bars** • Must have quick release at bedroom windows. A building permit is required for installation of security bars.
- Garage** • Replace broken windows, missing or torn screens, faulty springs, missing handles or locking devices.

## Gallery Concord moves to historic downtown building

Gallery Concord has found a new home in the historic Masonic Lodge building at 1765 Galindo St. in downtown Concord. The gallery has been housed at no charge in the Willows Shopping Center, but is moving to make way for the expansion of the restaurant next door. The City purchased the Masonic Lodge building in 2000 with the intention of incorporating it into a larger Redevelopment Agency project at some time in the future. In the meantime, Gallery Concord will be the ground-floor tenant.

“This is a wonderful addition to the downtown,” says Planning and Economic Development Director Jim Forsberg. “It’s within walking distance of Brenden Theatres, the new Todos Santos Parking Center and several dozen restaurants which all add to the vitality of the downtown area.”

Plans are in the works to exhibit the City’s collection of 24 black and white photographs by noted artist Ansel Adams during the Gallery’s official grand opening this spring. For more information about Gallery Concord, call 691-6140. ♦



*The Masonic Lodge at 1765 Galindo St. in downtown Concord is the new home for Gallery Concord.*

## Protecting local revenues from State take-aways

The State is facing a serious budget shortfall. The greatest threat to the Concord’s fiscal security is the possibility that the State will try to balance its budget on the back of its cities by taking revenues away as it has done in the past.

In the recession of the early 1990s, the state diverted property tax funds intended for cities in order to balance the budget. Today, for every \$100 a property owner pays in property taxes, the City receives only \$8.71. The balance goes to the state and county. Concord’s loss since the state began the property tax raid is now accumulating at the rate of

\$2.6 million per year and continues to grow, making it increasingly difficult to deliver services such as parks, police, road repair, drainage improvements, and other general local government services.

The state also took local government revenues in the ’80s in areas such as business inventory taxes, cigarette taxes and alcohol beverage licenses. State actions have caused a net decrease of \$38 million in City of Concord revenues, or \$844 per household. This amount continues to increase.

In contrast, the City Council has implemented sound business-like fiscal management practices by balancing the City budget, establishing adequate reserves and providing for a fully funded 10-Year Financial Plan. The City Council has implemented Performance Based Budgeting (PBB), manager pay-for-performance and other measures intended to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of local service delivery. The City’s actions contrast with actions at the state level, where state spending has failed to plan for economic downturns and emergency funding.

The City has put its fiscal house in order; it is time for the Governor and the Legislature to balance the state budget without taking local government revenues. The quality and range of services you receive as a citizen of Concord depends on the protection of local government revenues.

To express your opinion to the Governor and legislators:

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Post Office Box 942849  
Sacramento, CA 94249  
assemblymember.canciamilla@assembly.ca.gov

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State Assembly - 15<sup>th</sup> District  
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senator.torlakson@sen.ca.us

Honorable Governor Gray Davis  
State Capitol, First Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
graydavis@governor.ca.gov ♦

## Bicycle safety

Beautiful spring days draw bicyclists outside. If you or your child rides a bike, be sure to wear a helmet at all times and white or reflective clothing at night. Check to be sure headlight and tail light reflectors can be seen. Drivers should be alert for bicyclists, especially in twilight when they may be difficult to see. ♦



*Concord's medians, such as the one pictured above, have been recognized with an Award of Excellence by the California Park & Recreation Society. This black and white picture hardly does justice to the profusion of color that livens up Concord roadways during the spring and summer months.*

## Concord's medians recognized as excellent

The City of Concord has won the 2001 California Park & Recreation Society Award of Excellence for its Ten-Year Median Program for cities with populations over 100,000.

In 1994, Concord embarked on a plan to transform its street medians on six major arterials from utilitarian traffic buffers to attractively landscaped features with high visual interest. Concord's Ten-Year Median Program ultimately will provide landscape enhancements to 52 acres of medians.

Last year, work was completed on two median projects. The project on Laura Alice Dr. improves the appearance of the entry into the North Concord industrial area north of Highway 4. The second project on Bailey Rd. created a tree-lined parkway with a six-foot wide meandering pedestrian walkway running the length of the project. In previous years, medians were improved on Treat Blvd., Monument Blvd., Galindo St. and Willow Pass Rd.

In 2002, medians will be enhanced on Treat Blvd. between Clayton Rd. and Cowell Rd., at the intersection of Ygnacio Valley Rd./Kirker Pass Rd., at Port Chicago and Hwy. 4, on Willow Pass Rd. from Landana to the Naval

Weapons Station boundary and on Olivera Rd. at Hwy. 242.

The median program was created around the theme "green is not a color" to encourage landscape architects to use a profusion of color in the new median designs. Crews have replaced gravel, rock and cement with plants selected to provide a show of color throughout the year. Bright yellow and orange day lilies, deep purple groundcover and small pink roses can be found in many of the new medians. A special red rose was selected for the downtown area.

Concord's median program is unique because of a built-in commitment to excellence through a planned capital program and a continuous maintenance program, funded as a priority in the city's ten-year financial plan. Between 1994 and 2000, the City spent over \$6 million on nine median projects, and appropriated over \$320,000 for labor, materials and supplies to maintain the enhancements.

For more information about Concord's Ten-Year Median Program, contact Parks Manager Ginger Gessner, (925) 671-3386. ♦

## What is that?

Many residents have asked about the planting materials used in the median projects. Listed below are plants used for medians on Treat Blvd. from Oak Grove Rd. to the Walnut Creek city limits and on Clayton Rd. between Babel Lane and Mendocino Dr.

### Treat Blvd.

#### Trees

- London Plane Tree
- Crape Myrtle
- American Sweet Gum
- Flowering Plum

#### Shrubs/Groundcovers

- Lily of the Nile "Elaine"
- Lily of the Nile "Dwarf White"
- Lily of the Nile "Peter Pan"
- Dwarf Albelia
- Fortnight Lily
- Red Lantana "Spreading Sunshine"
- Dwarf Oleander "Little Red"
- New Zealand Flax "Gold Sword"
- New Zealand Flax "Maori Queen"
- India Hawthorn "Clara"
- Society Garlic "Silver Lace"
- Compact Xylosma "Compacta"
- Ice Plant "Red"
- Gazania "Fiesta Red"
- Trailing Lantana

### Clayton Road

#### Trees

- Purple Crape Myrtle "Catawba"
- Pink India Hawthorn "Majestic Beauty"
- Canary Island Pine
- Chinese Pistache

#### Shrubs/Groundcover

- Lilly of the Nile (Peter Pan)
- Compact Escalloia "Terri"
- Day Lily "Red Mond"
- Nandina "Gulf Stream"
- Pink India Hawthorn "Jack Evans"
- Pink Bush Rose "Flower Carpet"
- Purple Verbena "Tapiian Blue"

# City progresses in efforts to bring Internet services to residents

Vision: e-Government will provide services through alternative, innovative methods utilizing the Internet and other communications media so that the customer can access appropriate City services and information at his or her convenience consistent with Community Oriented Government principles.

Concord is moving ahead with its initiative to bring e-Government services to the public through its website. The e-Government Strategic Plan, which will identify the services to be offered, is due to be completed in May.

To assist the City in developing the plan, residents can voice their requests for the types of services and information

they would like to see available on the Internet by filling out the survey form at [www.ci.concord.ca.us](http://www.ci.concord.ca.us) or calling 671-3409. Information gathered from this survey, along with focus groups and internal planning teams, will be utilized to create the foundation of the Strategic Plan.

As the City moves ahead with e-Government in the next few months, the public will begin to see some changes to the City's web site. Getting around the site will be easier, enabled by "Quick

Links" to areas of interest and enhanced ability to search the site.

Updates on the e-Government process will be available on the City's web site, [www.ci.concord.ca.us](http://www.ci.concord.ca.us), at the eConcord link. These updates will provide information on e-Government progress and new areas that have been implemented on the web site.

For more information about the City's e-Government Initiative, call Beth Lancaster, the City's e-Government Manager, at 671-3409. ♦

## Energy Conservation Update

California has avoided a repeat of last year's rolling power outages. State electricity rates are among the highest in the nation, however, and conservation makes sense not only to avoid energy shortages but also to save money.

Conservation steps taken by the City of Concord at City facilities have resulted in a 25 percent reduction in energy use for a savings of \$300,000 per year. These savings allow funds to be directed to services and programs benefiting Concord residents.

The City continues to examine ways to increase energy conservation including upgrading energy management control systems at City buildings and exploring options for solar power. ♦



## Construction Round-up

Residents will see construction on a number of projects this spring. Please use caution when driving near these sites.

- The **Todos Santos Parking Center** on **Concord Ave.** at **Salvio St.** will soon be completed. A left-turn lane has been added at the intersection.
- The **Legacy luxury apartments** are under construction on Galindo St. and Clayton Rd.
- Construction is underway on the **Senior Center** on Parkside Circle in Baldwin Park. Parkside Circle has been converted from a two-way to a one-way street during construction.
- The **Metroplex Office Centre** is under construction at the corner of **Willow Pass Rd.** and **Waterworld Parkway.** Work on Waterworld Parkway will place the utilities underground and upgrade the roadway.
- A new **sidewalk** is being installed on **Detroit Ave.** between Lynn Ave. and Walters Way.
- The **park lighting** at **Hillcrest Park** and **Concord Boulevard Park** will be improved.
- The **entryway feature** and **landscaping** on **Monument Blvd.** at **Mohr Lane** will be installed.
- New **landscaping** is planned on **Olivera Rd.** and **Hwy. 242.**
- Dredging of the **Newhall Park siltation basins** begins.
- Repair and replacement begins on the stormdrain system at **Moretti Dr.**
- Street frontage improvements, including relocating several power poles, will take place on **Gelbke Lane** on the 800 feet nearest Meadow Lane.
- Installation of **median landscaping** near the intersection of **Ygnacio Valley Rd./Kirker Pass Rd.** and **Clayton Rd.** is planned.
- A **trail connector** will be installed from **Newhall Park** to **Clayton Rd.** at **Bailey Rd.**
- The **DeSilva Group** residential project in the 1200 block of Monument Blvd, at the old **Navlet's Garden Center** site, is tentatively scheduled to begin construction.

If you have questions about any of these projects, please contact the City's Engineering Services Department at 671-3361.

## Senior Center Groundbreaking



Groundbreaking for the Concord Senior Center on Parkside Dr. in Baldwin Park took place in December, much to the delight of members who worked on the design for the new building. Left to right are Pat Howlett, Jim Smith, Earle Ormiston, Eizo Kobayashi, Ron Ragno, Virginia Brunk, and Dan Shedd.

## Community Leadership Academy debuts in March

Residents are invited to apply for the City's new Community Leadership Academy (CLA). CLA provides a forum for educating and informing community leaders about the City of Concord, its operations and services. Each CLA class is limited to 20 participants. Participants meet once a week for six sessions. Each session covers a different aspect of the City.

"The mission of the Academy is to provide an environment of learning that encourages citizen participation and collaboration by raising awareness and understanding of City functions and processes. We do this in support of our mutual goal to make Concord a desirable place to live, work and raise a family."

"The Academy is an outgrowth of Concord's Community Oriented Government initiative," says Assistant City Manager Greg Jones. "Our goal is to build the leadership ability of residents who have a desire to make Concord a

better community. We are especially looking for people who want to take a leadership role in their neighborhood."

The Academy's first session kicks off on Saturday, March 9 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with an introduction and tour of the City. Over the next four Thursday evenings, from March 14 to April 4, sessions will be held from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Topics include Governance, The Community, In Your Neighborhood and Internal City Processes. The final session, on Saturday, April 13 will include a tour of neighborhoods and a celebration lunch.

Applications for future CLA sessions are available by calling Elia Bamberger at 671-3407. Because of anticipated demand, applicants may be asked to participate in later Academies beginning next fall. ♦



## Bilingual employees assist Monument Corridor residents

Two new city employees have been assigned to work with residents in the Monument corridor area. The new staffers are Program Supervisor Carmen Saldaña and Program Coordinator Raquel Diaz. Both are bilingual, fluent in English and Spanish.

Staff has developed a comprehensive system for delivering human services to this high-density area of the City by involving Monument corridor residents in coordinated health, education, public safety, social and recreational activities.

The team provides the following services:

- Referral to social, educational and health services available to the community
- Educational and recreational programs for elementary school children
- Educational and informational workshop for youth and families
- Special community events such as teen dances, Dia del Niño, Holiday Posadas and Annual Community Health Fair
- Safety and enrichment classes at the Meadow Homes Pool
- Recreation classes and activities for youth in the Oak Grove Middle School RAP (Recreation After School Program)
- Informing residents about programs and services the City offers such as Camp Concord, Neighborhood Preservation, and the Senior Center.

By providing these programs and services, the team hopes to improve the quality of life for residents in this area. For more information, call the Leisure Services staff at 671-3494. ♦

## Calendar of City Meetings

All meetings are held at Civic Center, 1950 Parkside Drive. Dates are subject to change. For information, check the meeting notices section of the *Contra Costa Times* or call 671-3000.

### March

4*	Human Relations Commission	7 p.m.
26*	City Council	6:30 p.m.
6**	Planning Commission	7 p.m.
11*	Youth Council	7 p.m.
13, 27	Zoning Administrator	9 a.m.
13*	Parks, Recreation & Open Space Commission	7 p.m.
14, 28	Design Review Board	7 p.m.
20	Commission on Aging	1:30 p.m.
20	Community Services Commission	7 p.m.
27	Status of Women Commission	6:30 p.m.

### April

1*	Human Relations Commission	7 p.m.
2*, 9*, 23*	City Council	6:30 p.m.
3**, 17**	Planning Commission	7 p.m.
8*, 22*	Youth Council	7 p.m.
10, 24	Zoning Administrator	9 a.m.
10*	Parks, Recreation & Open Space Commission	7 p.m.
11, 25	Design Review Board	7 p.m.
17	Commission on Aging	1:30 p.m.
24*	Status of Women Commission	6:30 p.m.

### May

1**, 15**	Planning Commission	7 p.m.
6*	Human Relations Commission	7 p.m.
7*, 14*, 28*	City Council	6:30 p.m.
8, 22	Zoning Administrator	9 a.m.
8*	Parks, Recreation & Open Space Commission	7 p.m.
9, 23	Design Review Board	7 p.m.
13*	Youth Council	7 p.m.
15	Commission on Aging	1:30 p.m.
15	Community Services Commission	6:30 p.m.
22*	Status of Women Commission	6:30 p.m.

\* Televised live on AT&T Broadband Channel 24/25 and Seren/Astound Channel 29.

\*\* Taped broadcast can be seen the following evening at 8 p.m. on AT&T Broadband Channel 24/25 and Seren/Astound Channel 29.

## Need an Answer?

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**e-mail: [cityinfo@ci.concord.ca.us](mailto:cityinfo@ci.concord.ca.us)**

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Cable TV	
AT&T Broadband	800-945-2288
Seren/Astound!	459-1000
Council Meeting Info.	671-3000
Flood Zone Inquiries	671-3425
Garbage Collection	682-9113
Graffiti Hotline	671-3080
Leisure Services	
Class Registration	671-3404
One-Stop Shop/	
Building Permits	671-3454
Chronicle Pavilion	676-8742
Hotline	363-5701
Tickets	685-8497
Police Field Offices:	
Northern Office	671-3322
Southern Office	671-3483
Valley Office	671-3377
Police and Fire Emergencies	911
Police Services,	
Information	671-3232
Potholes	671-3228
Recycling	671-3394
Sewer Problems	671-3099
Street Light Outages:	
PG&E	1-800-743-5000
Public Works	671-3367
Street Sweeping	671-3147
Street Trees	671-3230
Traffic	671-3132



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