

City of Highland *Weekly Report*



March 11, 2022

Volunteer Services

HIGHLAND IMPROVEMENT TEAM



Highland Improvement Team (HIT) cleanups will resume on March 19, 2022! Come out and join us on Saturday, March 19, 2022, at Community Cross Church, 6955 Palm Avenue in Highland. Volunteers can begin signing in at 7:30am. The cleanup begins at 8:00am and runs through 12:00 pm.

**WE ARE
BACK!**

Due to the pandemic, HIT projects have been on hold for two years. This community cleanup project will consist of landscape maintenance such as weeding, trimming shrubs and litter removal in Highland's Historic District. Every year, the Highland Improvement Team along with City staff and other volunteers, clean up the Historic District in preparation for our annual Citrus Harvest Festival. The festival lines several streets in the historic neighborhood. Sprucing up this area before the event helps maintain a level of cleanliness during the festival and makes cleanup after a whole lot easier. The City will provide all tools and equipment needed for the project.

If you should have questions, please contact Denise Moreno, Volunteer Services Coordinator, at (909) 864-6861, extension 203.



WANTED VOLUNTEERS!

HIGHLAND IMPROVEMENT TEAM
ANNUAL CITRUS HARVEST FESTIVAL
COMMUNITY CLEANUP

★ HISTORIC HIGHLAND ★

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2022

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

(REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 7:30AM)

COMMUNITY CROSS CHURCH—6955 PALM AVENUE

INFO 909-864-6861 EXT. 203

REWARDING...

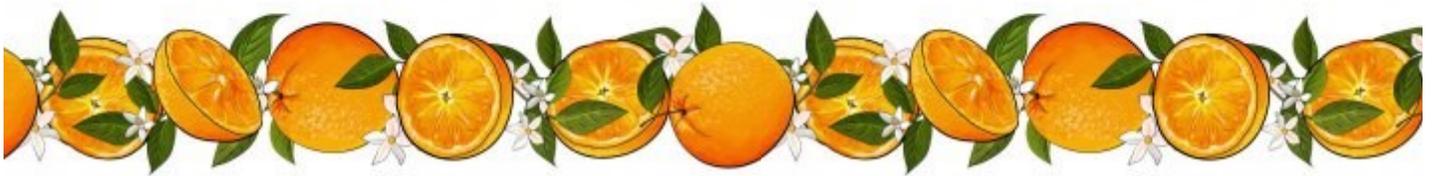
**EARN VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY
SERVICE HOURS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION,
WHILE MAKING A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE
IN THE COMMUNITY!**





24th Annual Citrus Harvest Festival

March 26, 2022

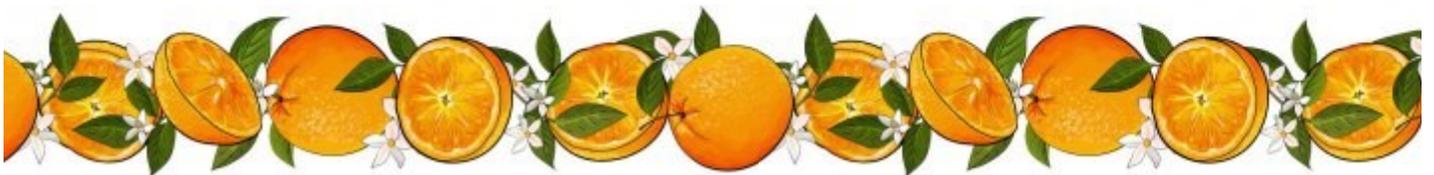


The City of Highland's 24th annual Citrus Harvest Festival has been scheduled for Saturday, March 26, 2022, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in Highland's Historic District at the intersection of Palm Avenue and Main Street.

This year, we are planning for a full scale festival and expecting upwards of 5,000 attendees. Thus far, Staff has received a total of 50 vendor applications that include various historic demonstrators, food trucks, a classic car show, and live music.

In addition to the usual Poetry, Coloring, and Citrus Fruit growing contests, this year we will also be holding a "Good Neighbor" contest in which a historic district resident will receive an award for exhibiting the best lawn and/or most improved and rehabilitated home exterior.

For further information, please contact (909) 864-6861, extension 210.



Administration

PRACTICE YOUR HOME FIRE ESCAPE PLAN

Creating and practicing a home fire escape plan is simple. Follow the steps below to make sure everyone in your home is prepared and knows what to do in case of a home fire.

- Make a written home fire escape plan and practice getting out in under two minutes.
- Make sure you have smoke alarms on every level of your home and in each bedroom. Test them twice a year.
- Download the Make Safe Happen app for a fire drill timer to practice your escape plan.
- Learn the best practices for home fire safety and fire safety with children.



Make an Escape Plan

- Learn two ways out of every room in your home, in case one exit is blocked or dangerous to use. A second way out can include an escape ladder for rooms on an upper level.
- Practice getting low and moving to your exits in case there is smoke.
- Choose a safe meeting place a safe distance from your home.
- Have a home fire drill at least twice a year.

Children and Fire Safety - It is important to have a plan when there are children in your home. Children may become very scared and need clear direction and help getting out of the house. They may not know how to escape or what to do unless an adult shows them.

- Have a plan for young children under six who cannot get outside by themselves. In your plan, talk about who will help each child get out safely.
- Children should know what to do when they hear a smoke alarm and there is no adult around. Help them practice going to the outside meeting place.
- Teach children to NEVER go back inside a burning building. Once they are out, stay out!
- Teach your child to get low and crawl on the ground, where the air is less smoky.
- Show a child how to use the back of their hand to check doors for heat before opening and to use a different way out if the door is hot.
- If your child needs to use an escape ladder, show them where you keep it and practice how to use it.

Conduct a Home Fire Drill - Fires can start anywhere in the home and at any time, so run through the plan at various times of the day or night and practice different ways out.

Step 1: Know where to go. Review your safe meeting place. Explain to your kids that when the smoke alarm beeps, they need to get out of the house quickly and meet at that safety spot.

Step 2: Check your smoke alarms. Test your smoke alarms with your kids so they know the sound.

Step 3: Do the drill. Have kids head to their bedrooms and wait for the drill to begin. Assign adults to help young children. Put one adult in charge of sounding the smoke alarm and running the drill. Next, sound the smoke alarm, start the timer, and have everyone book it to the safety spot. Once everyone gets to the safe meeting place stop the timer. If you all made it in under two minutes, you each get an imaginary gold medal. If not, give it another try. In a real fire, get to the safe meeting place, then call 9-1-1 and keep everyone close until firefighters arrive.



PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

February 2022

MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES (MAN HOURS)



| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| General Clean-up | 74 |
| Parkway Maintenance | 1 |
| Potholes | 38.5 |
| Sidewalk | 1 |
| Storm Drains | 10.5 |
| Signs/Traffic Control | 17.5 |
| Trees Trimmed | 21 |
| Vehicle/Tool Maintenance | 31 |
| Building/Grounds Maintenance | 115 |
| Landscape Maintenance District | 54.5 |
| Park Maintenance | 209 |
| Trail Maintenance | 52 |
| Special Maintenance | 8.5 |
| Crack Sealing | 0 |
| Graffiti | 66 |
| USA Markings | 24.5 |
| Weed Spraying | 51.5 |
| Staff Meetings | 62.5 |
| Safety Training | 4.5 |
| Personal Time-off | 0 |
| | |
| TOTAL HOURS: | 842.5 |

During the period of February 28, 2022 through March 4, 2022, graffiti was made known to Public Works staff by the following means and removed:

Routine observation by Public Works: 9th St. alley, Base Line & Walker St., Base Line & Mira Vista Ave., 26187 Cypress St., Highland Community Park, Plunge Creek Trail, Pacific St. & Olive St., Pacific St. & Orange St., Base Line & Vine St., Shelton trail, Del Rosa Dr. & 4th St., Del Rosa Dr. & Flood Control Channel, 7935 Central Ave.

Hotline: None

Public Services

#FoodWasteActionWeek Ways to Prevent Wasted Food at Home



Planning, prepping, and storing food can help your household waste less food. Below are some tips to help you do just that:



Planning and Shopping Tips

Making a list with weekly meals in mind can save you money and time. If you only buy what you expect to use, you will be more likely to keep it fresh and use it all.

- Keep a running list of meals and their ingredients that your household already enjoys - that way, you can easily choose, shop for, and prepare meals that you are likely to consume.
- Look in your refrigerator, freezer, and pantry first to avoid buying food you already have. Make a list each week of what needs to be used up and plan upcoming meals around it.
- Plan your meals for the week before you go shopping and buy only the things needed for those meals.
- Make your shopping list based on how many meals you'll eat at home. Consider how often you will eat out, if you plan to eat frozen precooked meals, and if you will eat leftovers for any of your meals.
- Include quantities on your shopping list noting how many meals you'll make with each item to avoid overbuying. For example: "salad greens - enough for two lunches".
- Buying in large quantities (e.g., buy one, get one free deals) only saves money if you use all the food before it spoils.
- Buying food from bulk bins can save you money and reduce food waste and packaging as you can purchase the amount of food you need as opposed to a pre-determined amount. When buying in bulk, remember to store food properly in airtight, labeled containers.
- Purchase imperfect produce or upcycled products. Imperfect produce may have physical imperfections but is just as safe and nutritious and can sometimes be found at discounted prices. Upcycled products are made from ingredients that might have otherwise gone to waste.

Storage Tips

- Properly store fruits and vegetables for maximum freshness; they'll taste better and last longer, helping you to eat more of them before they go bad.
 - Most veggies, especially those that could wilt (such as leafy greens, carrots, cucumbers, and broccoli) should go in the high humidity drawer of the fridge.
 - Most fruits, as well as vegetables that tend to rot (such as mushrooms and peppers), should go in the low humidity drawer of the fridge.
 - Some fruits (such as bananas, apples, pears, stone fruits, and avocados) release ethylene gas as they ripen, making other nearby produce ripen, and potentially spoil faster. Store these away from other produce.
 - Wait to wash berries, cherries, and grapes until you're ready to eat them to prevent mold.
 - Some produce, such as potatoes, eggplant, winter squash, onions, and garlic should be stored in a cool, dry, dark, and well-ventilated place.
 - Make sure you are properly storing food in your refrigerator.
 - The refrigerator door is the warmest part of the fridge. You can store condiments there, but it is not recommended to store milk or eggs in the door.
 - The lower shelves are the coldest part of the fridge. Store meat, poultry, and fish here.
 - Refrigerators should be set to maintain a temperature of 40 °F or below.
- Store grains in airtight containers and label the container with the contents and the date.
- Befriend your freezer and visit it often. Freeze food such as bread, sliced fruit, meat, or leftovers that you know won't be eaten in time. Label with the contents and the date.

Cooking and Preparation Tips

- Produce that is past its prime, as well as odds and ends of ingredients and leftovers, may still be fine for cooking. Repurpose these ingredients in soups, casseroles, stir fries, frittatas, sauces, baked goods, pancakes, or smoothies. You'll avoid wasting these items and may even create a new favorite dish.
- If safe and healthy, use the edible parts of food that you normally do not eat. For example, stale bread can be used to make croutons, beet greens can be sautéed for a delicious side dish, and vegetable scraps can be used for soup stock.
- Learn the difference between "sell-by," "use-by," "best-by," and expiration dates.
- Aim to cook and serve the right portions for the number of people you are feeding.
- Freeze, pickle, dehydrate, can, or make jam/jelly from surplus fruits and vegetables - especially abundant seasonal produce.
- Don't leave perishable food at room temperature for more than two hours.
- Refrigerate or freeze any leftovers in small, clear, labeled containers with a date.





Volunteer Services

EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (EMAP)

The City of Highland has established the Emergency Mortgage Assistance Program (EMAP) to assist Highland residents with mortgage delinquencies resulting from the pandemic.

This program is aimed at assisting homeowners of limited income, impacted by the pandemic, by reducing delinquent mortgage payments and/or avoiding foreclosure.

For more information and program eligibility pre-screening, please contact us at (909) 864-6861, extension 203 or (909) 864-6861, extension 230.

Volunteer Services

We are accepting applications for Highland's **Grocery Home Delivery Service Program**. Highland residents who meet income guidelines, can qualify to RECEIVE AN ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FOR GROCERY HOME DELIVERY SERVICE. Shop from the safety of your own home and have groceries delivered straight to your doorstep!



It's easy to apply. Please contact Volunteer Services Coordinator Denise Moreno at (909) 864-6861 extension 203 or email dmoreno@cityofhighland.org to find out if you are eligible for the program.



Volunteer Services

Funding Currently Available!!!

The City of Highland is encouraging small businesses in Highland to apply for the Coronavirus Recovery Fund grant program, first launched in September. The purpose of this program is to provide financial assistance to City-based small businesses impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Successful grant recipients will receive a one-time \$7,500 disbursement.

Businesses that meet these specific criteria are eligible for consideration:

- Must have a physical location within the City of Highland (store front, office, commercial structure).
- Be in good standing with the City of Highland (**current/valid business license, no outstanding code enforcement actions, or compliance orders**).
- Must have no more than 100 employees.
- Must be in existence as of August 24, 2021.

Contact Denise Moreno at (909) 864-6861, extension 203 or by email to dmoreno@cityofhighland.org for an application and for more information.

SOUND THE ALARM SIGN UP FOR FREE SMOKE ALARM INSTALLATION!

The American Red Cross has started a new program. Under normal circumstances, the Red Cross partners up with volunteers to canvas neighborhoods to install free smoke alarms in homes, replace batteries in existing alarms and help families create home fire escape plans. Unfortunately, COVID has prevented them from hosting rally events of this type. The modified program is now an appointment based, "hot shot" program. This program will consist of installing FREE smoke alarms and providing home fire safety education to residents by appointment only.

The installation service and the home fire preparedness education are FREE to the resident. After signing up, a Red Cross volunteer will contact the resident to schedule the appointment. Volunteers will be following all COVID 19 precautions before entering the home and while in the home.



Working smoke alarms save lives! Install them on every level of your home and remember to test them monthly. Discover more ways to prepare and sign up for a free smoke alarm installation at SoundTheAlarm.org/SoCal

Visit: www.SoundTheAlarm.org/SoCal or call (714) 481-5334 for more information or to sign up for free smoke alarm installation. Residents belonging to San Diego, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Imperial Counties are eligible. #EndHomeFires

Public Services



Citrus Harvest Festival – March 26, 2022



The Annual Citrus Harvest Festival is fast approaching! On March 26, 2022 Re-Pete and the Public Services Division are gearing up for this year's event. We could not be more excited about this year's booth activities. Test your knowledge of recycling, trash and household hazardous waste (HHW) with a fun sorting game. Regardless of getting the question right or wrong, you will still receive a prize for participating. Also you will receive information on how you can prevent stormwater pollution.

come visit us

A representative from the San Bernardino County Fire Department Household Hazardous Waste Program will be on hand to answer all of your Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) questions. For those of you that change your oil on your vehicles, stop by and pick a FREE oil container.

Hope to see you at the Public Services Division booth!

For more information, please call Public Services at 909-864-6861 ext. 271.

Blood Drive



Help Highland increase blood donations...schedule your appointment today! All blood drives will take place at the Highland Police Station, 26985 Base Line from 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

2022 Blood Drive Schedule:

Monday, March 28
Monday, May 23
Monday, July 25
Monday, September 26
Monday, November 28



For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Volunteer Services at 909-864-6861 extension 203 or email dmoreno@cityofhighland.org. Follow this link to reserve an appointment: [https://giftoflife.lstream.org/donor/schedules/drive schedule/98506](https://giftoflife.lstream.org/donor/schedules/drive%20schedule/98506)

Are you interested in joining the Blood Drive Committee? Join us at our next committee meeting on Monday, March 14, 2022. Contact Volunteer Services for the details!



Volunteer Services

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

We are excited to announce that registration is now open for our Annual Fourth of July Parade! This year's parade takes place on Monday, July 4, 2022. Participant check-in time is 7:30am and Parade start time is 9:00am.

Once again, the parade is **FREE** to enter and is open to all organizations, groups or individuals. We welcome marching bands, youth programs, community groups, car clubs, local businesses, and other organizations to participate.

Registration forms are available at Highland City Hall (27215 Base Line) or you may request a form be mailed/emailed to you by contacting Volunteer Services at 909-864-6861 ext. 203 or dmoreno@cityofhighland.org

Please return completed registration form to the City of Highland by 5pm on Thursday, June 23, 2022.

Submit Forms:

- In person or by mail to: City of Highland - 27215 Base Line, Highland, CA 92346
- Fax: 909-862-3180
- Email: dmoreno@cityofhighland.org

Please contact Volunteer Services for more information: 909-864-6861 ext. 203.

RELEASE/WAIVER OF LIABILITY: All parade participants will be required to complete a waiver prior to participating in the parade. Waivers will be available after registration form is received.



Join us Monday, July 4, 2022 for
Highland's Annual Fourth of July Parade!

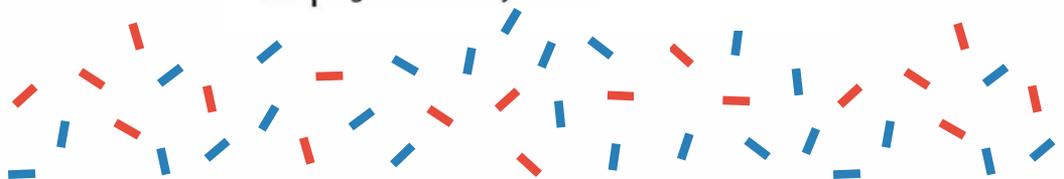
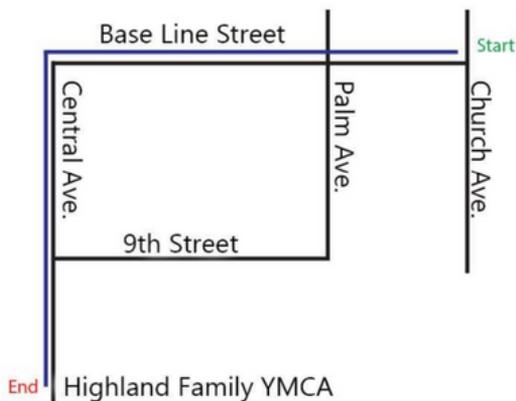
4th of July Parade

Parade Begins @ 9:00 AM

INFO: 909-864-6861 ext. 203



Parade Route



ENTRY# (Office Use Only)

4th of July Parade



MONDAY, JULY 4, 2022

7:30 AM Participant Check-in. Check-in and Lineup is at Church Avenue and Norwood Street (south of Base Line, enter Church Avenue from Fifth Street) **All participants must be in place no later than 8:30am**

9:00 AM Parade Starts!

Parade Route West on Base Line (north side of street) from Palm Avenue, South on Central Avenue, then east on Hibiscus Street ending at the Highland Family YMCA.

REGISTRATION FORM

Organization/Business/Individual: _____

Name of Entry: _____

Type of Entry: Car Truck Truck w/Trailer Equestrian* Band Walking Group

Other: _____

TOTAL number of: Participants _____ Vehicles _____

Brief description of parade entry: _____

***All Equestrian Entries MUST provide their own clean up team. (Verification Required)**

(Office Use Only) Date _____ Contact Name _____ Phone _____

Contact person: _____

Phone#: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

NO ENTRY FEE.

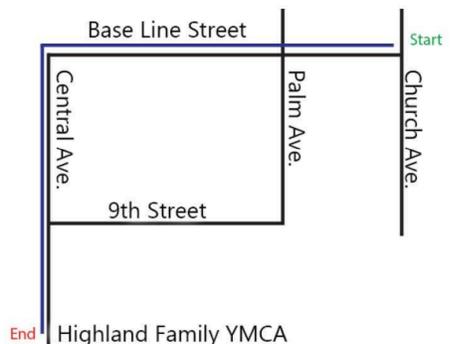
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Parade Route



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IMPORTANT PUBLIC INFORMATION

The Governor released a one-stop website (<https://covid19.ca.gov/>) for COVID-19 resources. This is a substantial source of information including unemployment and paid sick leave, along with small business assistance (information specifically to be added about this tomorrow on the website).

These following specific items — Apply for Unemployment, Apply for Disability Benefits or Apply for Paid Family Leave - may be of interest to you on the following website [https://www.edd.ca.gov/about edd/coronavirus-2019/faqs.htm](https://www.edd.ca.gov/about_edd/coronavirus-2019/faqs.htm).

Loan guidance for small business: <https://www.sba.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-guidance-loan-resources>

As a reminder, the CDC's official Coronavirus website is the best source for up-to-date information and guidance. www.coronavirus.gov

The County of San Bernardino has established a COVID-19 Public Information Line. The line is in operation from 9:00am to 8:00pm, Monday to Friday. The phone number is (909) 387-3911. Please note that this line is for Public Information Only. Please contact your Health Care Provider for medical related questions.

For further information and updates please visit: <https://sbccovid19.com/>

The San Bernardino County Department of Public Health (DPH) continues to work with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to respond to reports of Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) as the situation is quickly evolving.

Residents of San Bernardino are encouraged to stay home as much as possible while only participating in essential activities, such as critical work functions and shopping for necessities. We know these measures are challenging, but social distancing will help to protect all of our communities. We encourage older adults and those with chronic medical conditions to take additional precautions to avoid getting sick with the disease.

Please visit <http://wp.sbcounty.gov/dph/coronavirus/> for additional updates and information.

How to Safely Dispose Sharps

**EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2021**



SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY RESIDENTS can safely dispose of their used SHARPS in a 2 gallon or smaller, heavy-duty, plastic container as an alternative to plastic bio-hazard sharps containers at participating Household Hazardous Waste Collection facilities.

Containers should only contain needles, lancets, and syringes with a needle attached that must be completely spent (no liquid remaining, including EpiPens).

HOW TO CREATE YOUR OWN CONTAINER:

- Place sharps into an Approved Sharps Container or 2 gallon or smaller heavy-duty plastic container
- Do not use food product containers
- Must have a screw-top and puncture resistant lid
- Made of thick plastic
- 2 gallons or less
- Leak-resistant
- Remain upright when standing
- Place printed Bio-Hazard Label on both sides
- When $\frac{3}{4}$ filled, secure lid, and tape the container closed

DO NOT USE FOR SHARPS:



Print **FREE** labels by visiting
Greensb.net

Preprinted labels are available at
HHW collection facilities



For more information and locations, call 1-800-Oily Cat (645-9228) or visit **Greensb.net**

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE – Household Hazardous Waste

Cómo desechar las agujas de forma segura

**EFFECTIVO EL
1 DE JULIO 2021**



LOS RESIDENTES DEL CONDADO DE SAN BERNARDINO pueden desechar de manera segura sus agujas usadas en un recipiente de plástico resistente de 2 galones, o más pequeño como alternativa a los recipientes de plástico para objetos punzantes con riesgo biológico en los Centros participantes de Colección para desechos peligrosos del hogar.

Los recipientes solo deben contener agujas, lancetas y jeringas con una aguja adjunta que debe gastarse por completo (Sin residuo líquido incluyendo los EpiPens).

COMO CREAR SU PROPIO CONTENEDOR:

- Coloque las agujas en un recipiente para objetos punzantes aprobado o en un recipiente de plástico resistente de 2 galones o más pequeño
- No utilice envases de productos para alimentos
- Debe tener una tapa de rosca y resistente a los pinchazos
- Hecho de plástico grueso
- 2 galones o menos
- Resistente a fugas
- Permanezca erguido cuando esté de pie
- Coloque la etiqueta impresa de peligro biológico en ambos lados
- Cuando esté lleno 3/4, cierre la tapa y pegue el recipiente con cinta adhesiva para mantener el contenedor cerrado

NO UTILIZAR PARA AGUJAS :



Para imprimir etiquetas
GRATIS visite Greensb.net

Las etiquetas preimpresas están
disponibles en los Centros de Colección
para desechos peligrosos del hogar



Para obtener más información y ubicaciones,
llame al 1-800-Oily Cat (645-9228) o visite Greensb.net

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE – Household Hazardous Waste



WASH YOUR CAR THE ECO-FRIENDLY WAY!

When possible, wash in a professional car wash.

- 1 **Locate** the nearest storm drain and ensure that wash water does not flow into it.



- 2 **Wash** in a contained area or on grass*, gravel or other permeable surface. Dispose of excess soapy water into the sanitary sewer (*ie. sink or toilet*) or onto grass.

- 3 **Use** eco-friendly cleaning products (*non-toxic, phosphate free or biodegradable*). Use as little soap as possible and wipe brake dust off tires with a rag before washing.

- 4 **Conserve** water by using a high pressure hose and turn off the water when not in use.

**Some local ordinances may not allow a car to be parked on the front lawn. Check with your City's Building and Code department if you are unsure.*

How Does Eco Car Washing Help Local Waterways?

When excess wash water travels through the street it has the potential to pick up oil, grease and other chemicals along the way before it ends up in the curb, gutter and the storm drain system. **This contaminated water then travels to our creeks and the Santa Ana River making it unsafe for people and wildlife.**



To report illegal dumping, call **(877) WASTE18** or visit **sbcountystormwater.org**
To find a Hazardous Waste Facility, call **(800) OILY CAT**

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PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET



WHY SHOULD I PICK UP?

-  Dog waste can infect children and adults with disease-causing bacteria and parasites.
-  Your dog can get infected from the waste of other dogs.
-  Dog waste can affect the quality of our rivers and oceans and make the water unsafe for swimming, drinking, or fishing.



BAG IT AND TRASH IT! — Steps and Tips —

- Step 1:** Keep a supply of bags tied to your dog leash.
- Step 2:** Bag the poop and tie the bag.
- Step 3:** Dispose of the tied bag properly by throwing it into a trash can.



Scan code for a **FREE CANISTER**
freedoggiebags.com

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HAVE YOU PLAYED SPOT'S NEW TRASH MATCH-UP GAME?

Find out how much you know about sorting waste in San Bernardino County.



Step 1: Scan QR code or visit spot.sbcountystormwater.org

Step 2: Drag a trash item to a bin to start the game

Step 3: Make an account to claim your score on the leaderboard.

**available for mobile phones and desktops*



For a list of collection centers near you, visit TooToxicToTrash.com
Must be a San Bernardino County resident to visit centers.

PROTECT YOUR COMMUNITY KEEP TRASH OUT OF OUR STREETS



Step 1

Gather your used masks, gloves, and wipes

Step 2

Place the used items in a bag

Step 3

Tie or seal the bag and dispose into a trashcan



SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY STORMWATER PROGRAM
WHERE WATER MEETS COMMUNITY

alendar of Events

March 14, 2022

4pm — Blood Drive Committee Meeting,
Highland City Hall, 27215 Base Line

March 15, 2022

6pm — Planning Commission Meeting,
Donahue Council Chambers

March 19, 2022

7:30am to 12:00pm — Highland Improvement
Team (HIT) Cleanup, preparation for the Citrus
Annual Festival, meet at Community Cross
Church, 6955 Palm Avenue

March 26, 2022

10am to 3:30pm—24th Annual Highland Citrus
Harvest Festival at Highland's Historic District,
Intersection of Palm Avenue/Main Street

March 28, 2022

12pm to 5pm—Blood Drive, Highland Police
Station, 26985 Base Line

April 5, 2022

6pm — Planning Commission Meeting,
Donahue Council Chambers

April 12, 2022

6pm — City Council Meeting, Donahue Council
Chambers

April 19, 2022

6pm — Planning Commission Meeting,
Donahue Council Chambers



THE CITY OF HIGHLAND FACEBOOK PAGE



Find us on:
facebook®

The City of Highland has a new and improved Facebook page that we would like for you all to follow us on. This is where you will find important information regarding road closures and construction projects that may affect your travel time, scheduled power outages, emergencies, events such as: Community Blood Drives, Highland Improvement Team projects, Compost Give-A-Way, Used Oil Filter Exchange & Recycling Events and much more. Please "Like" City of Highland - City Hall (<https://www.facebook.com/cityofhighland.cityhall>) as the official page.

BLOOD DRIVE

Scan the code to make
your next appointment!



SCAN ME



Have you given the **Gift of Life**?
Assist patients and their loved ones at
this critical time by giving blood.

PROUDLY HOSTED BY

City of Highland

at the Highland Police Station

Monday, March 28

Noon to 5 PM

26985 Base Line St.,
Highland

COUNTING ON YOU IN 2022!

All donors who donate in
March - April will receive
a Counting on YOU in 2022
themed cooler tote bag,
while supplies last!

For appointments, contact Denise Moreno at 909.864.6861 ext. 203
or at dmoreno@cityofhighland.org, or scan the QR code above.

YOU could win a LIFESTREAM COACHELLA EXPERIENCE!

That's right! Two lucky blood donors will win two VIP passes to Coachella for Weekend #1 (April 15) OR Weekend #2 (April 22).
Donate blood at any LifeStream donor center or mobile drive March 13 - April 2 to automatically be entered to win!

To maintain social distancing, appointments are strongly recommended. Walk-ins are welcome but wait times may be lengthy. Face coverings are required. **In preparation for your donation, eat a hearty meal and drink plenty of fluids.** Bring photo ID with proof of age. Donors under the age of 17 must bring a signed LifeStream parental consent form. Disclaimer: LifeStream abides by the FDA guidance on donor incentives.



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CAMPAÑA DE SANGRE

¡Escanea el código para hacer su próxima cita!



ESCANÉAME



¡Contando contigo en 2022!

Todos los donantes que donen en Marzo - Abril recibirán una camiseta tema Contando contigo en 2022, ¡hasta agotar suministros!

¿Ha dado el **Regalo de la Vida**? Ayude a los pacientes y a sus seres queridos en este momento crítico y done sangre.

ORGULLOSAMENTE ANFITRIONADA POR

Ciudad de Highland
en la estación de policía de Highland

Lunes 28 de Marzo
12 PM a 5 PM
26985 Base Line St.,
Highland

Para hacer su cita contacte a Denise Moreno al 909.864.6861 ext. 203 o dmoreno@cityofhighland.org o escanee el código QR de arriba.

¡TÚ podrías ganar una EXPERIENCIA COACHELLA LIFESTREAM!
¡Así es! Dos afortunados donantes de sangre ganarán dos pases VIP a Coachella para el fin de semana n.º 1 (15 de abril) O el fin de semana n.º 2 (22 de abril).
Done sangre en cualquier centro de donación LifeStream o en una campaña móvil del 13 de marzo al 2 de abril para participar automáticamente en el premio.

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Used Oil Filter Exchange & Recycling Event

Bring Used Oil Filters to Recycle and Exchange
for Up to \$15 Oil Filter Voucher

Free!



Join Us! **Saturday, July 23, 2022, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

EVENT LOCATION:



AutoZone
27292 Baseline Rd,
Highland, CA 92346

Keep in mind...

- ▶ **NEW:** Up to **one \$15 oil filter voucher** per household maximum (limited supply)
- ▶ Expiration: **2 p.m., Saturday July 23, 2022**
- ▶ Valid only at the address shown on the left
- ▶ No exchange or cash refund after event
- ▶ Recycle oil filter safely: **drain for 12 hours** and transport in non-leaking container or bag
- ▶ Available to San Bernardino County residents only – **bring ID or utility bill** for verification
- ▶ If you are experiencing any COVID-19 related symptoms, please come back after 14 days to one of our permanent collection sites to drop off the used oil/oil filters. Vouchers are distributed and valid for the day of the event **ONLY**.

For information, call **909.382.5401** or **1.800.Oily Cat (645.9228)**
or visit sbcfire.org/hhw



Evento de Intercambio y Reciclaje de Filtros de Aceite Usados

Traiga filtros de aceite usado para reciclar y reciba un cupón para uno nuevo

¡Gratis!



¡Acompáñenos! **Sábado, 23 de Julio de 2022, 9 a.m. a 2 p.m.**

Lugar del Evento:



AutoZone
27292 Baseline Rd,
Highland, CA 92346

Detalles...

- ▶ Máximo un cupón de \$15 por domicilio (cantidades limitadas)
- ▶ Vencimiento: **2 p.m., Sábado, 23 de Julio de 2022**
- ▶ Válido solamente en el establecimiento indicado a la izquierda.
- ▶ No se permite intercambio o reembolso en efectivo
- ▶ Recicle los filtros de aceite de forma segura. Permita que el filtro se **drene por 12 horas** y transpórtelo en una bolsa o contenedor a prueba de fugas
- ▶ Solo para residentes del Condado de San Bernardino. Para verificar su dirección **traiga una identificación o una factura de un servicio público**
- ▶ Si tiene algún síntoma relacionado con COVID-19, regrese después de 14 días a uno de nuestros Centros de Colección para Desechos Peligrosos del Hogar para dejar los filtros de aceite/aceite usados. Los cupones se distribuyen y son válidos el día del evento **SOLAMENTE**.

Para más información llame al **909.382.5401** o **1.800.Oily Cat (645.9228)**
¡Visite sbcfire.org/hhw!



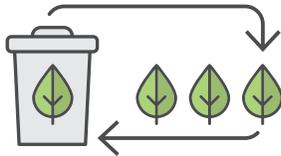


DISCHARGE TO THE STORM DRAIN, ACCIDENTAL OR NOT, COULD LEAD TO ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS AND FINES

Sustainable Practices for Landscape Maintenance

Your contributions make a difference in the way you maintain your yard. Learn how to truly be a “green” thumb and prevent stormwater pollution.

Recycle Yard Waste



Yard waste, like grass and leaves, can block the storm drain or carry harmful chemicals into it.

- Recycle yard waste by placing them into your greenwaste container.
- Do not blow, sweep, rake, or hose yard waste into the street or catch basin.
- Try grasscycling by leaving clippings on the lawn when mowing.

For more information, visit www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/grasscycling.

Use Safe Products



Fertilizers, herbicides, and pesticides are often carried into the storm drain by sprinkler runoff.

- Use natural and non-toxic alternatives as often as possible.
- Spot-apply, rather than blanketing entire areas.

Apply chemicals directly to the area that needs treatment.

- Read the product label and use only as directed.
- Never apply before a rain.

Use Water Wisely



Conserving water minimizes the amount of urban runoff going into the street.

- Control the amount of water and direction of sprinklers.

The average lawn only needs about an inch of water a week or 10 to 20 minutes of watering.

- Periodically inspect and fix sprinklers for leaks.

Realign sprinkler heads to make sure water is distributed onto the lawn and not onto the sidewalk.

- Plant native vegetation to reduce the need of water.



HOMEOWNERS

Keep these tips in mind when hiring professional landscapers and remind them as necessary.



Leftover pesticides, fertilizers, and herbicides contaminate landfills and should be disposed of through a Household Hazardous Waste Center*.

For more information on proper disposal, call 1 (800) OILYCAT or visit tootoxictotrash.com.

*FREE for San Bernardino County residents. Businesses can call for cost inquiries and to schedule an appointment.

To report illegal dumping or toxic spills, call (877) WASTE18 or visit tootoxictotrash.com

To dispose of hazardous waste, call 1 (800) OILYCAT

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WHERE WATER MEETS COMMUNITY



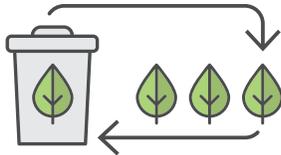


DESCARGAR DESECHOS HACIA EL DRENAJE DE AGUAS PLUVIALES, ACCIDENTALMENTE O NO, PODRÍA DESENCADENAR ACCIONES POR PARTE DE LAS AUTORIDADES, INCLUYENDO MULTAS

Prácticas Sostenibles para el Mantenimiento de Jardinería

Sus acciones pueden marcar una gran diferencia en la forma en que usted mantenga su jardín. Aprenda cómo implementar prácticas ecológicas y prevenir la contaminación de las aguas pluviales.

Recicle los Residuos de Jardín



Los desechos de jardín, como la hierba y las hojas, pueden bloquear el drenaje pluvial o transportar productos químicos dañinos.

- Recicle los desechos del jardín colocándolos en su contenedor verde de desechos.
- No sople, barra, rastrille ni riegue los desechos del patio en la calle o en la cuneta.
- Intente reciclar el césped dejando los recortes sobre el césped.

Para obtener más información, visite el sitio web en inglés www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/grasscycling.

Use Productos Seguros



Los fertilizantes, herbicidas y pesticidas a menudo son arrastrados al drenaje pluvial a través del agua sobrante proveniente de los rociadores.

- Use alternativas naturales y no tóxicas con la mayor frecuencia posible.
- Aplique los productos en las áreas específicas que requiera tratamiento en lugar de cubrir áreas enteras.
- Lea la etiqueta del producto y use solo como se indica.
- Nunca aplique antes de una lluvia.

Use el Agua de Forma Inteligente



La conservación del agua minimiza la cantidad de escorrentía que va a la calle a través del agua sobrante.

- Controle la cantidad de agua y la dirección de los rociadores.

El césped promedio solo necesita aproximadamente una pulgada de agua por semana, incluida la lluvia, o 10 a 20 minutos de riego.

- Inspeccione y repare periódicamente los rociadores para detectar fugas y goteos.

Realíe las cabezas de los rociadores para asegurarse de que el agua se distribuya en el césped y no en la acera.

- Plante vegetación autóctona para reducir la necesidad de agua.



PROPIETARIOS

Tenga en cuenta estos consejos al contratar jardineros profesionales y haga que los mantengan presente como sea necesario.



Los pesticidas, fertilizantes y herbicidas sobrantes contaminan los vertederos y deben desecharse a través de un Centro de Residuos Domésticos Peligrosos*.

Para obtener más información sobre la forma de desechar adecuadamente residuos peligrosos, llame al 1 (800) 645-9228 o visite muytoxicoparabotar.com.

*GRATIS para los residentes del Condado de San Bernardino. Las empresas pueden llamar para consultar los costos y para programar una cita.

Para reportar desechos ilegales o derrames tóxicos, llame al (877) 927-8318 o visite muytoxicoparabotar.com

Para eliminar residuos peligrosos, llame al 1 (800) 645-9228

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Economic Development

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

MICROBUSINESS

COVID-19 RELIEF GRANT

Award Amount: \$2,500



What is the San Bernardino County Microbusiness COVID-19 Relief Grant Program?

The San Bernardino County Microbusiness COVID Relief Grant is designed to assist businesses that have experienced economic barriers due to the effects of the global pandemic.



What are the Grant requirements?

- Businesses & Non-Profits located within the San Bernardino County boundaries
- 5 or less full-time employees
- Gross Revenues of less than \$50,000 in 2019 Tax Year or 2020 Tax Year
- Did not receive the California Relief Grant issued by Lendistry

SOURCE: GUIDELINES SET BY THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA



How can I use the funds?

- Renewal of local permits to operate (i.e. sidewalk vendor, etc.)
- Payment of business debt accrued during pandemic.
- The purchase of new certified equipment.



How do I apply and is there a deadline?

Applications open on 2/28/2022 and will remain open until funds are exhausted.

Go to:

www.selectsbcounty.com/major-initiatives/microbusiness-covid-19-relief-grant



Who do I contact with questions?

For questions regarding your grant application, scan the below:



For general information please contact:

grants@eda.sbcounty.gov
phone: 909-387-3286

For more information please visit our website at:

www.selectsbcounty.gov



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