

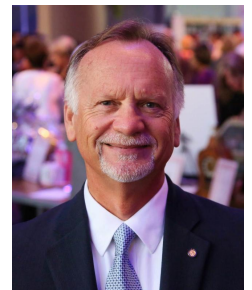


GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

April 9, 2021

Issue No. 311

Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by contacting us at: district4@longbeach.gov.



- Councilman Daryl Supernaw

COVID-19 Updates

LB Begins Vaccinating Residents Ages 16 and Older

Yesterday, the City announced that vaccinating all residents ages 16 years and older will begin immediately. On April 15th, those who work in Long Beach who are 16 years and older will also be eligible. The State's COVID-19 vaccine portal does not currently allow appointments to be made by those 49 years and younger without an underlying health condition. Long Beach residents ages 16 and older seeking to be vaccinated can do so via the City's walk-up vaccination process at the Long Beach Convention Center. A limited supply of Pfizer vaccine will be available today and Saturday, April 10th. You can read the entire press release [here](#).



Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update

By the Numbers (Long Beach only):

- 52,398 total positive results

- Increase in 27 cases since yesterday
- Seven-day positivity rate: 1.7%
- 5.3 seven-day case rate per 100K population
- 920 fatalities
- 43 Long Beach residents hospitalized with COVID-19
- 34 total COVID-19 hospitalizations in area hospitals (Long Beach Memorial Hospital, St. Mary Medical Center, College Medical Center, Lakewood Regional Medical Center and Los Alamitos Medical Center)
- Approximately 50,210 recovered (Please note that, for low-risk patients recovering at home, recovery data is self-reported)
- 759,438 total tests conducted
- Information as of April 7



State Indicators (Updated on 4/6/21):

- Current LA County Tier: Orange Tier (Moderate)
- Seven-day positivity rate: 1.4%
- 3.1 adjusted daily new cases per 100K population
- Testing positivity in lowest-resourced areas (health equity metric): 1.9%

Vaccinations:

- 259,615 vaccines allocated to the City of Long Beach
- 229,052 vaccines administered citywide
- 138,753 first doses administered
- 90,299 second doses administered
- 163,372 vaccinated Long Beach residents
- 34.6% of residents vaccinated
- Information as of April 7

Details Regarding Fatalities:

- 322 are associated with long-term care facilities (LTCF)
- Ages:
 - 7 were in their 20s
 - 26 were in their 30s
 - 35 were in their 40s
 - 102 were in their 50s
 - 202 were in their 60s
 - 217 were in their 70s
 - 226 were in their 80s
 - 105 were over 90
- 386 female, 534 male
- 22 individuals had no known underlying health conditions
- 55 individuals had unknown underlying health conditions

Safer at Home Order:

- View the current "Safer at Home" [Health Order](#) (3/31/21)

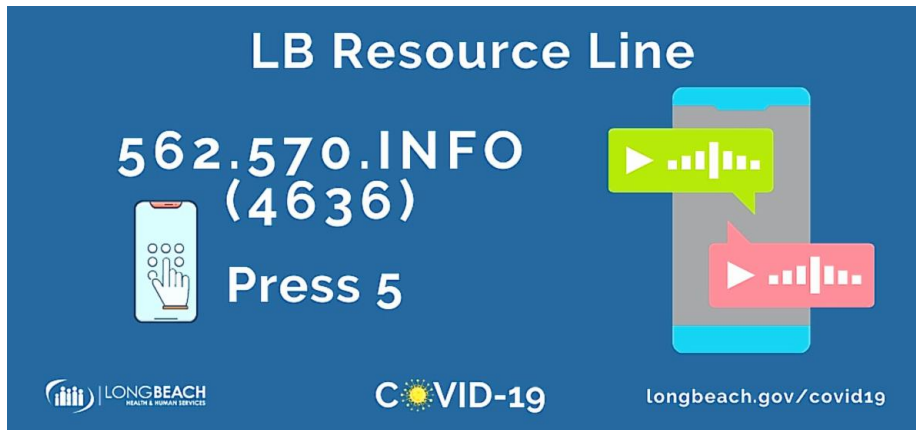
Past News Releases:

- To view past COVID-19-related press releases, visit the [City Press Release Archive](#). Releases include information about economic relief, help for people experiencing homelessness and updates regarding City operations.

The City of Long Beach continues to monitor the situation 24/7 in coordination with local, state and federal officials. For the latest updates on Coronavirus, check our Health Department's website at this [link](#).

Long Beach Department of Health & Human Services (LBDHHS)

If you have been impacted by the pandemic and need mental health care, food access, housing/shelter, legal aid, children/family services and more, help is here. Call LBDHHS at 562-570-INFO (4636), select Option 5, leave a message and you will receive a call back with resources.



LB Resource Line

562.570.INFO
(4636)

Press 5

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COVID-19

longbeach.gov/covid19

The graphic features a dark blue background with white and yellow text. It includes icons of a smartphone and two speech bubbles (one green, one red) with signal strength indicators. Logos for Long Beach Health & Human Services and COVID-19 are at the bottom, along with the website URL.

Long Beach Transitions from VaxLB to My Turn

Long Beach has now completed offering appointments through VaxLB for all eligible groups and has transitioned to a new online sign-up model. The City of Long Beach has transitioned to My Turn, the State's new COVID-19 vaccine notification and appointment system. My Turn is now required by the State and is intended to help manage vaccine distribution.



COVID-19

My Turn

GET NOTIFIED TO BOOK YOUR VACCINE APPOINTMENT WHEN IT IS YOUR TURN.

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HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

The graphic has a purple header and footer. The central area is white with two purple vaccine vials on either side of the 'My Turn' logo, which consists of a colorful staircase icon. The text is in bold, black, uppercase letters.

Past and Ongoing Events

Caltrans and LB Clean Team Work Together

We're happy to report that Caltrans has made good on their promise to address the trash issues on their freeway easements. Last week, they cleared out the encampment behind Einstein's Bagels on the NB Bellflower Blvd. exit of the 405. This week, they cleared the area near the 405 entrance at Stearns St. Yesterday, our Public Works Clean Team had the opportunity to work with Caltrans by collecting trash bags along the 405 freeway. Caltrans managed the traffic control points for

the team to safely collect staged trash bags. These areas included the 405 at Lakewood, Willow, Woodruff and Palo Verde (see photos below). Special thanks to Administrative Deputy City Manager, Becky Garner, for helping to coordinate this effort.





FREE Mondays Krispy Kreme Doughnut & Coffee

4760 E. Los Coyotes Diag. | Daily 6 am - 10 pm | thru 5/24

Start your week on a sweet note! On Mondays through May 24th, stop by Krispy Kreme for a FREE Original Glazed® doughnut and medium brewed coffee, no purchase required. Mondays are better with a melt-in-your-mouth Original Glazed® doughnut and coffee in hand.



Summer Watering Schedule Schedule Now in Effect

The New Watering Schedule went into effect that allows landscape irrigation three days a week. The adoption of the Stage 1 Supply Shortage means that one additional outdoor watering day will now be permitted during the hot and dry summer months. Watering is allowed on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, before 9am and after 4pm, from April 1st through September 30th. From October 1st through March 31st, when the temperature is cooler and there is more natural rainfall, watering will only be allowed on Tuesdays and Saturdays.



Upcoming Events

FREE Household Hazardous Waste Event Tomorrow!

April 10th | 9 am - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave., Signal Hill

The next EDCO Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) & E-Waste Collection Event will be held tomorrow, April 10th, from 9 am - 2 pm at the EDCO Recycling Center in Signal Hill. Drop off your hazardous household items and old electronics safely and responsibly! For additional information, visit bit.ly/HHW_LB.

Paint 	Electronic Waste 	Medical Waste 	Household Waste 	Used Motor Oil & Filters 	Universal Waste 	Tires 
<h2>FREE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW) & E-WASTE COLLECTION EVENT</h2> <p>9 AM - 2 PM EDCO Recycling & Transfer 2755 California Ave. Open to all Long Beach & LA County residents</p>						
COVID-19 Safety Guidelines	 Wear a face covering.	 Place items in unlocked trunk for contactless disposal.	 STAY HOME if you feel sick.			
<p>MORE INFO: LONGBEACH.GOV/LBRECYCLES</p>						

Lbfd's Next Generation of Firefighters

April 10th | 8:30 am & 10:30 am | 2249 Argonne Ave.

There is no replacement for job specific training and practice. Firefighter skills are developed while practicing firefighter skills. Learning techniques and practicing them will make a better candidate. The Prospective Recruit Exercise Program (PREP) is held every Saturday at 8:30 am and 10:30 am at the Captain David Rosa Regional Training Center, 2249 Argonne Ave. in Council District 4. Check this [link](#) for info and to reserve a spot for the next training day



Shared Science Robo-Tech Fest

April 11th | 11:00 am - 4:00 pm | online & in-person

The Port of Long Beach is sponsoring the Robo-Tech Festival on Sunday, April 11th. The festival workshops will be hosted in-person and online. They are low-cost or no-cost, and scholarships are available to students in need. New workshop opportunities will continue to be added right up to the day of the event. Some in-person workshops will be held at the Maye Center Farm on Gladys Ave in Council District 4. All onsite/in-person activities follow safe COVID-19 protocols. You can get more information and register for a workshop at this [link](#).

Robo-Tech Fest Long Beach 2021
 April 11th :: 11a-4p
 Workshops for All Ages
 Online and In-Person

Proud Sponsors:
 Port of LONG BEACH THE PORT OF CHOICE
 SHARED SCIENCE
 national roboticsweek
 Creative Kids Engineering Inc.

Next on the City Council Agenda

April 13th | 5:00 pm | Teleconference

The City Council teleconference will start at 5:00 pm. The civic chambers will be closed, but the public can use eComment to provide comments on agenda items. Comments can also be submitted by email to: CityClerk@longbeach.gov.



- Recommendation to request City Council to receive and file a presentation in recognition of Cambodian New Year.
- Recommendation to request City Council to recognize April 17 as Cambodian Genocide Remembrance Day.
- Recommendation to adopt resolution authorizing City Manager, or designee, to execute an agreement, and all necessary documents and amendments, with the California Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz), to receive and expend grant funding in the amount of \$1,267,044, to support the Long Beach cannabis social equity program, for the approximate period of May 14, 2021 through May 13, 2022; and increase appropriations in the General Grants Fund Group in the City Manager's Department by \$1,267,044, offset by grant revenue from GO-Biz. (Citywide)
- Recommendation to declare ordinance amending the Long Beach Municipal Code by amending and restating Sections 5.81.010 and 5.81.070; and by repealing Chapter 5.94, all relating to the sale of flavored tobacco products, read and adopted as read.

The entire agenda can be found [here](#). To see the schedule and agenda for all upcoming city meetings, click [here](#)

Free, Low-Cost Youth Programs Extended

Long Beach Parks and Rec will offer more sessions beginning April 12 through June 18 for four important programs that safely engage youth, including the Mobile Recess Program, After School Camps, Community Learning Hubs and the Virtual After School Program. Registration for these free and low-cost sessions begins on Friday, March 26. More information on the specific programs and registration is available at this [link](#).



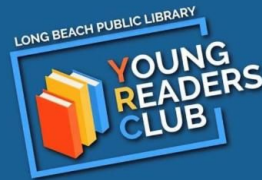
LB Public Library Teen Volunteer Opportunity

April 20th - May 27th on Tuesdays & Thursdays | 4 pm - 5 pm | Online

The Long Beach Public Library is looking for teen volunteers for the new Young Readers Club. Volunteers will read with first graders to help them build confidence in their reading skills. If you missed the March 23rd information session, you can view it on

YouTube at this [link](#).

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY FOR TEENS



United Cambodia Community Mobile Vaccination Clinic

April 23rd | 10 am - 2 pm | 2201 E. Anaheim St.

The United Cambodian Community, Council District 4 and the Long Beach Health Dept. are hosting a mobile vaccination clinic for the Cambodian Community. The event will take place on Friday, April 23rd. Appointments are required, and you can register by calling (562) 662-8901.



Cambodia Town Parade & Culture Festival

Saturday, April 24th | 6:00 pm | virtual event

Cambodia Town Inc. proudly presents:
Celebrating the Diversity of Cambodian Civilization
 13th Annual Cambodia Town Parade and Culture Festival (Virtual Edition)
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Saturday, April 24, 2021
 6:00 PM (PST)

For more information, contact:
 Linda Reach - Event Coordinator
 Phone: (562) 394-5515 | Email: lindareach2016@gmail.com

FREE to the public on CTI:
 Facebook, Website & YouTube

Supported in part by a grant from the Arts Council for Long Beach and the City of Long Beach

And Finally

Two CD4 Locations Featured in ABC7 Video

ABC7 recently featured a "LOCALish" segment on the best spots to explore in Long Beach. Local residents listed their favorite spots, and two District 4 locations were highlighted: Cambodia Town and El Dorado Nature Center. "There's always something going on," said Diane Eisenstein. "If you feel like exploring a different kind of cuisine ... we have a great Cambodia Town. That's something that you don't find everywhere." Crystal Yee talked about the Nature Center. "There's an awesome two mile nature walk with beautiful flowers in the spring. It's in El Dorado Park, and I've been going there since I was a kid. It's actually voted like top five in Southern California, but a lot of people they don't know about it." Check out the 3-minute video by clicking on the image below and see the places recommended by Long Beach residents!



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