



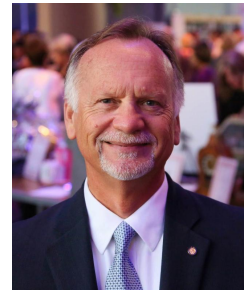
GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

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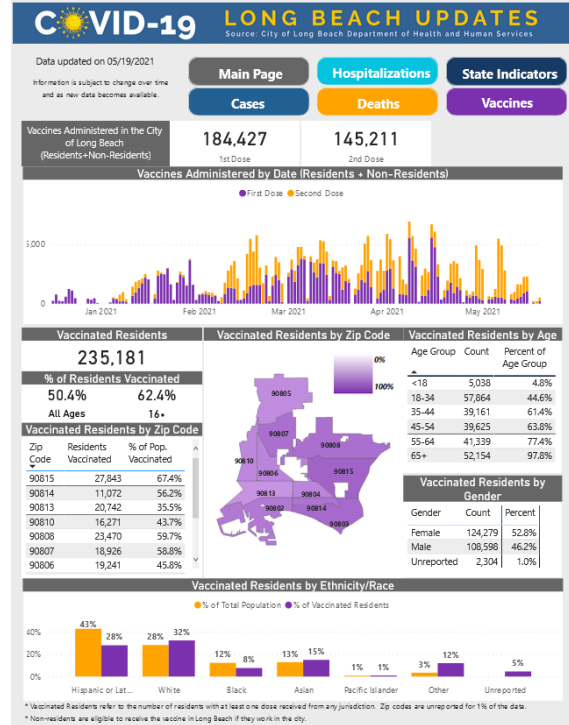
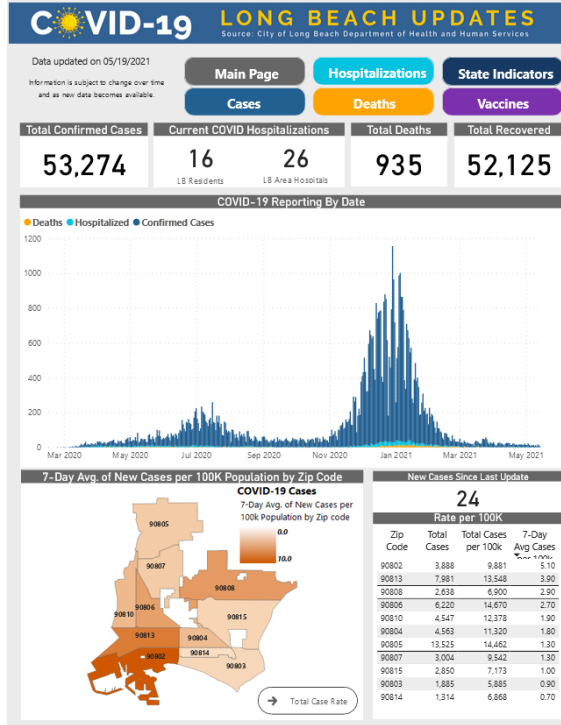
Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by contacting us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

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



COVID-19 Updates

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More information available at this [link](#)

Long Beach Using 'My Turn' For Vaccination Appointments

The City of Long Beach has transitioned to My Turn, the State's COVID-19 vaccine notification and appointment system. My Turn is now required by the State and is intended to help manage vaccine distribution. While walk-up appointments are available at the Convention Center, all residents age 12 and over can make appointments on My Turn at this link: <https://myturn.ca.gov/>

COVID-19

My Turn

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

LONG BEACH
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Mobile Vaccination Team at Tucker School May 26th | 2:30 - 4:30 pm | 2221 Argonne Ave.

Continuing on Wednesday, in partnership with the LBUSD, the Health Department's Mobile Vaccination Team (MVT) will be visiting Tucker Elementary School at Stearns and Argonne on one final date: May 26th. MVT-1 will continue to visit private residences and facilities. MVT-4 will be launching soon with new locations. If you have any questions about the MVT schedule, please email us at this [link](#) or contact Nick Lefranc at (562) 570-4241.



Past and Ongoing Events

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.



Joe Jost's T-Shirt Supports Community Hospital

2803 E. Anaheim St. | Daily 11:00 am - 9:00 pm

Community Hospital Long Beach (CHLB) and Joe Jost's (Pub/Sports Bar) both opened in 1924. For almost 100 years, both have been traditions in Long Beach. "Joe Jost's is continuing to honor our first responders, the men and women who are risking their lives for us every day. Our third responder "world famous t-shirts" salutes our local Health Care Workers with proceeds being donated to support the CHLB Foundation, as the hospital re-opens to the community," says Ken Buck, Joe Jost's owner and grandson of the founder. In-store shirts are \$25.00, and \$10.00 from each will be donated to the CHLB Foundation. Women's Health Care Workers t-shirts are ONLY available on-line, and \$5.00 dollars from each will be donated to the CHLB Foundation. On-line [orders](#) will be shipped by June 21st.



May is Mental Health Awareness Month

The City of Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services has launched the Mental Health Matters campaign to raise awareness and bring supportive services to lessen the stigma associated with reaching out for help. The Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health estimates that 1 in 5 adults have developed a mental health condition since the beginning of the pandemic in 2020. The City would like to remind residents: you are not alone, and mental health struggles do not define us. Support is there when you are ready. Information about supportive services is available via the City's website at this [link](#).



Choice.
Manage.
Care.

MAY IS MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH!

May 2021 is Virtual Bike Month

The City of Long Beach is celebrating Bike Month in May virtually by offering a wide variety of self-guided mobility related activities, bicycle infrastructure and safety tips,

and fun offerings for residents. From bike rides, to bike history, to social media promos, there is something for everyone this month. Be sure to follow GoActiveLB's Facebook, Twitter and Instagram accounts to get daily updates throughout Bike Month. Check out the GoActiveLB May is Bike Month page at this [link](#). Below is a "Road Rules" video from LB Bicycle Ambassador, Tony Cruz.



Rental Assistance Program Extended

New application deadline: June 11, 2021

The City is extending the deadline for residential landlords and tenants to submit applications for the Long Beach Emergency Rental Assistance Program (LB-ERAP) by 30 days. All LB-ERAP applications can be submitted via an online information and service portal at longbeach.gov/erap. The program provides rental assistance to residential landlords and income-eligible tenants in Long Beach who have experienced financial loss or economic hardship due to COVID-19. You can read the entire press release at this [link](#).

COVID-19
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Emergency
Rental
Assistance
Program

Report on the City's Partnership with Caltrans

Last November, City Council directed the City Manager to seek approval, access and reimbursement from Caltrans to enable the City to perform needed maintenance and cleanup of State transportation right-of-way easements in the most efficient, cost effective and expeditious way possible. On May 11th, we received a 5-page memo from Tom Modica outlining what was accomplished over the past six months. You can read the entire report [here](#).



COVID-19 Funeral Assistance

The COVID-19 pandemic has brought overwhelming grief to many families. FEMA is dedicated to helping ease some of the

financial stress and burden caused by the virus. Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, FEMA is providing financial assistance for COVID-19 related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020. You can learn more about the program and apply for assistance at this [link](#).



Recycling Guidelines

Knowing what to recycle can be a challenge. Get answers to your questions on the Long Beach Recycles guidelines site at this [link](#).

Wish you could recycle all the things?

We know it's hard to throw things away. But Recycling Right means sticking to the list. Here's why:

QUICK FACTS

- Recycling Right helps us use fewer raw natural resources in production.
- Even small contaminants can reduce the quality of entire bales of recycled material.
- The little "resin code" on the bottom of plastic items does NOT mean recyclable!

Visit longbeach.gov/lbrecycles and learn how to Recycle Right!

The infographic has a blue background with white and green text. It features three colored boxes for the quick facts: green, red, and blue. The Long Beach Recycles logo is in the bottom left corner.

Upcoming Events

LBDP Holding DUI Checkpoint Tonight

The Long Beach Police Department will hold a DUI Checkpoint on Tonight, May 21, 2021 from 6:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. in the North Patrol Division. Checkpoint locations are chosen based on a history of DUI crashes and arrests. The primary purpose of checkpoints is not to make arrests, but to promote public safety by deterring drivers from driving impaired. During the checkpoint, officers will look for signs that drivers are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs. The press release is available at this [link](#).

Long Beach Police Department



LBPD's Traffic Section will be conducting a
DUI/Driver's license checkpoint on
Friday, May 21, 2021
between the hours of **6:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.**
in the **North Division** area.



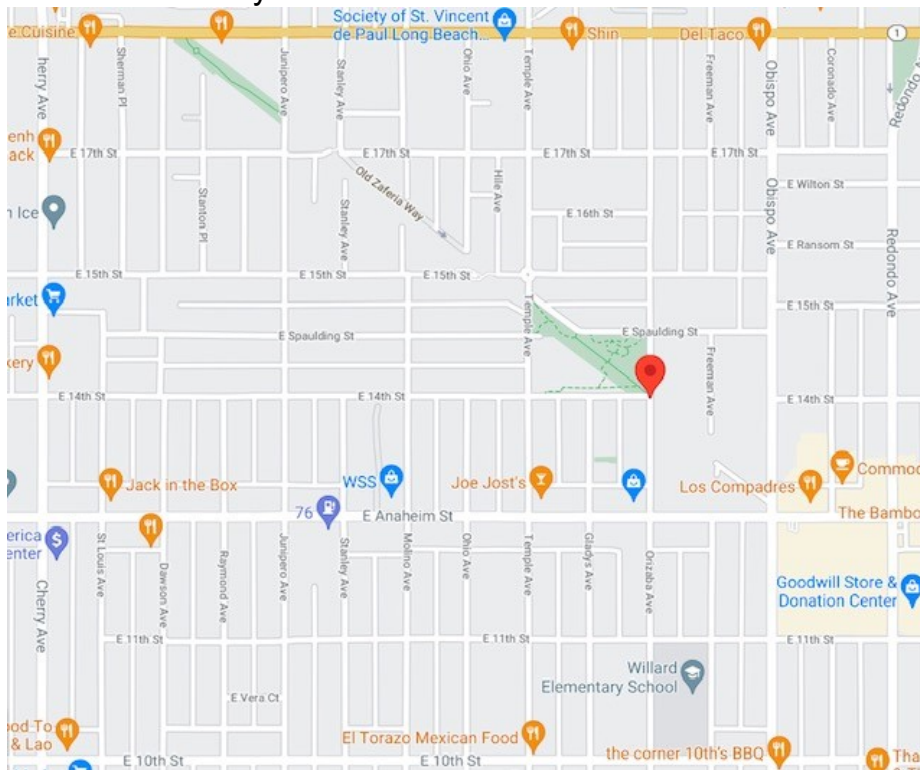
CHECK POINT

Volunteers Needed for WESCA Clean Up TOMORROW

May 22nd | 8 am - 12 pm | 14th & Orizaba Ave.



After a 15-month hiatus due to COVID-19, the West East Side Community Association (WESCA) will be hosting their monthly neighborhood clean up. Volunteers are needed to work from 8:00 am to noon... especially those with pick up trucks. Please come out and help make the neighborhood look great. Tools and supplies will be provided. They are also accepting tires and electronic waste (anything with a cord). The WESCA area is bordered by PCH, Redondo, 10th St. and Cherry Ave. Go Fourth!



FREE Household Hazardous Waste Event... Batteries Included

May 22nd | 9 pm - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave., Signal Hill

What is Household Hazardous Waste? HHW is leftover household products that can


catch fire, react/explode under certain conditions, are corrosive or toxic. These items may not be placed in your trash or recycling carts. The next EDCO Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) & E-Waste Collection Event will be held tomorrow, May 22nd, from 9 am - 2 pm at the EDCO Recycling Center in Signal Hill. You can also use this opportunity to dispose used batteries. They are fire hazards that should never end up on a recycling truck or sorting facility. For additional information, visit bit.ly/HHW_LB.



Cambodia Town Inc. Scholarship Program

Deadline: June 30th | Apply [Online](#)

The objective of Cambodia Town Inc.'s Scholarship Program, now named the Rosana Chanou Memorial Scholarship, is to provide Cambodian American high school graduates from the Long Beach Unified School District with a scholarship to achieve higher levels of education. The program supports students who have shown an interest in the history of Cambodians in Long Beach and through volunteer activities improved conditions in Cambodia Town. Please visit their [website](#) for more information.



The Rosana Chanou Memorial Scholarship

Rosana Chanou was a founding member of Cambodia Town, Inc (CTI). She continuously served on CTI's Board of Directors from its inception in 2005 until her passing on September 22, 2020. Rosana's dedication, hard work, and generosity to CTI earned her the affectionate nickname, "Mother of Cambodia Town." As someone who believed her college degree was a critical element for her success in achieving the "American dream", Rosana encouraged all students to pursue a higher education. Cambodia Town, Inc. names its scholarship program: "The Rosana Chanou Memorial Scholarship" in her memory.

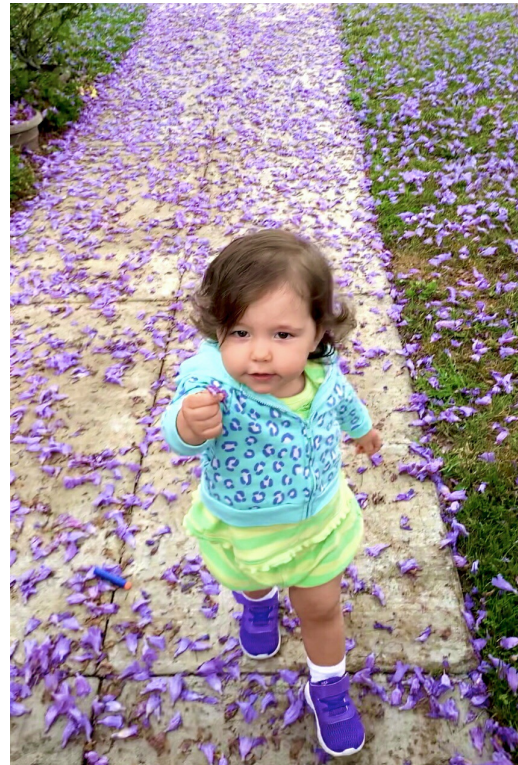
And Finally

Jacaranda Trees of Council District 4

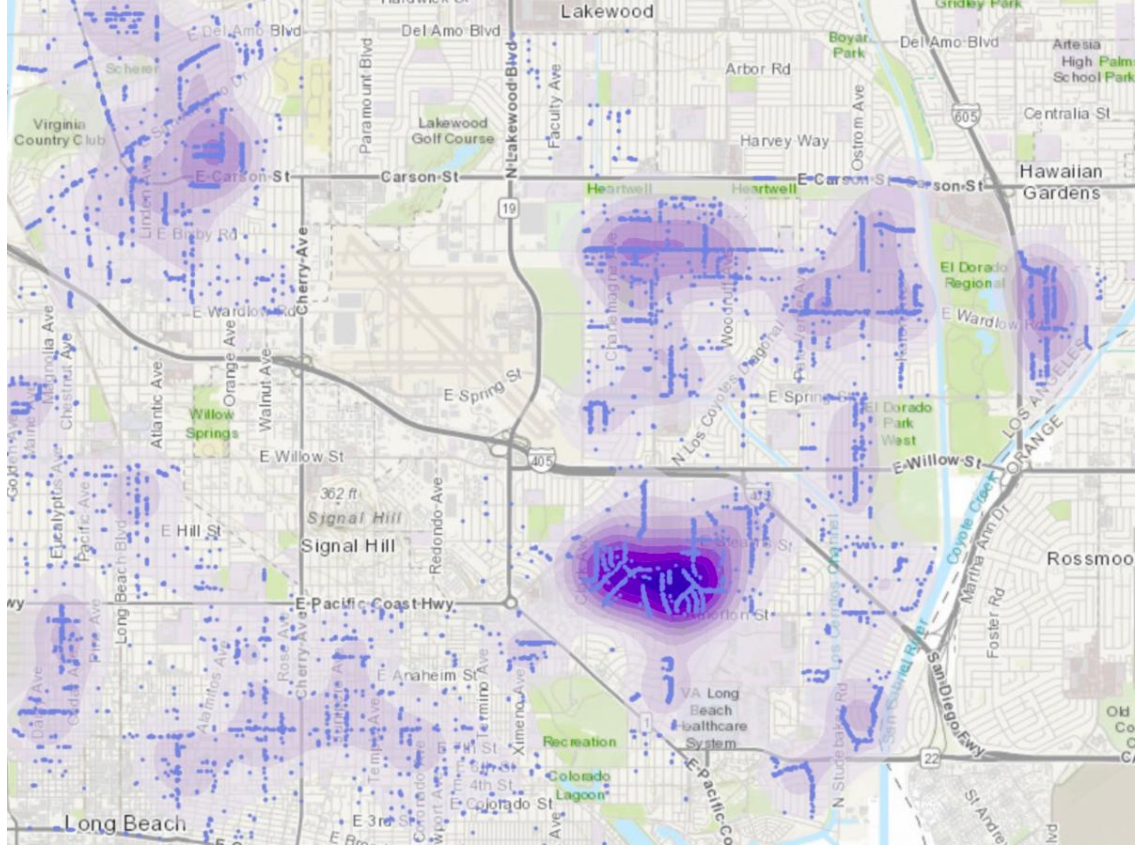
It's that time of year again when we feature the "Purple Edition" of our newsletter. Each May, we celebrate the fact that Council District 4 is home to the City's greatest concentration of one particular natural beauty. Purple-blooming jacaranda trees are in greater abundance in the Los Altos neighborhood than anywhere else. The LBPost produced the purple "heat map" below from data compiled by the LA Times. It clearly shows the most densely populated area of the City's 6,799 jacarandas is bordered by Clark Ave., Stearns St, Fanwood Ave. and Atherton St. There are notable CD4 exceptions outside the area including Stearns Park, Plaza Zaferia and individual tree-lined streets. Last year, We Love Long Beach recorded a drive along Fidler Ave that you can view by clicking the arrow below.



Stearns Parks along 23rd Street between Argonne and Ximeno



Plaza Zaferia at PCH and Redondo



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