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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 filling out the form at this [link](#).

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



Past and Ongoing Events

New Commander in East Patrol Division

LBPD has announced that Commander Mike Pennino will serve as the new East Division Commander. With over 28 years of service, Commander Pennino most recently served as the Special Investigations Division Commander. He has served in a variety of assignments including Burglary Detail, Auto Theft Detail, Investigations Bureau Office, Drug Investigations Section and the Information Technology Section. Read the full press release at this [link](#). Commander Pennino will be our special guest speaker at our CD4 Community Meeting next Tuesday at the Los Altos Library. Details about the meeting are listed below.



Grace Yoon Appointed Deputy City Manager

City Manager Tom Modica has appointed Grace H. Yoon as Deputy City Manager. She will work alongside the City Manager and Assistant City Manager as part of the City's Executive

Management Team to implement City Council's policies and programs. She previously served as the City Budget Manager, and those who attended our last Community Meeting met Grace as she presented a budget overview. She will begin her role as Deputy City Manager on Oct. 7th with a transition period with the Budget Office through November. Read the press release [here](#).



CSULB Environmental Impact Report

Last week, I attended CSULB's Campus Master Plan meeting where the recently drafted Environmental Impact Report was presented. If you missed the meeting, you can view information on CSULB's drafted Master Plan [here](#). Questions, comments and concerns can be submitted via this [link](#) before the submission deadline on October 16, 2023.



Fall Adoption Series @ LBACS

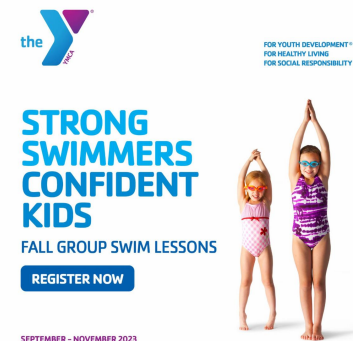
Every weekend in September | 7700 E Spring St.

As a result of overcrowding in the shelter, Long Beach Animal Care Services is waiving adoption fees every weekend in September. There are no open kennels to take in more animals. Help the shelter make space by adopting today! For more information, please email petadopt@longbeach.gov.



Register for Los Altos YMCA Swim Lessons

Whether your child is a beginner or looking to improve their swimming skills, Los Altos YMCA instructors are ready to help. Registration is now open for Fall Group Swim Lessons! To book a free level placement test to identify your child's swim lesson level, call (562) 596-3394 or email Annie Sumioka [here](#) or register and learn more at this [link](#).



Upcoming Events

The 2023 Ranchos Walk is TOMORROW!

September 23rd | 7am - 2pm | Ends at Rancho Los Alamitos

Thank you to all those who signed up for the Ranchos Walk. The walk is a 9.4-mile scenic route that will start at Rancho Los Cerritos and end at Rancho Los Alamitos. At the end-of-walk celebration, there will be food free of charge (sponsored by



Council District 4) from Battambang BBQ and beer for sale by Beachwood Brewing. Limited day-of registration will be available at the start locations based on capacity. For more information, please click [here](#).

Special Olympics Plane Pull Tomorrow!

September 23rd | 9 am start | Long Beach Airport

Tomorrow, September 23rd, Special Olympics Southern California will host its 2023 Plane Pull at the Long Beach Airport. Council District 4 is a proud co-sponsor of this event. The Plane Pull is a fun competition to see which team of 25 can pull a 124,000-pound jet 12 feet the fastest. Every dollar raised through the Plane Pull will help fund Special Olympics programs in Southern California. Find more information at this [link](#).



FREE Shred Event at Vets Memorial Stadium

September 23rd | 8 - 10 am | 4901 E Conant St.

The City of Long Beach Environmental Services Bureau is hosting a free shred event to help residents securely dispose of confidential documents. The mobile shredding truck will be on site until the truck is full. There is a 3 box maximum per car, and please do not bring bags. For a full list of accepted and not accepted items, please visit this [link](#). For questions and more information, please call (562) 570-2869.

A poster for a 'FREE SHRED EVENT' on Saturday, 9/23, from 8-10 am. It includes the address: Veterans Memorial Stadium, 4901 E. Conant St. (corner of Conant St. & Clark Ave.). It specifies a 3-box maximum per car (10x12x15 dimensions) and lists accepted items: Confidential documents, Manila file folders, staples, paperclips, and Envelopes and cardboard. A link to bit.ly/shred2023 and logos for the City of Long Beach and PW are also present.

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- Envelopes and cardboard

Learn more:
bit.ly/shred2023

FREE Household Hazardous Waste Event

September 23rd | 9 am - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave.

Household cleaning products, pesticides, paint, e-waste including batteries, medications, and many other products are considered hazardous waste and should not go in your trash or recycling carts. The next collection event is on Saturday, September 23rd. Learn more at this [link](#).

A poster for a 'Free HHW and E-Waste Event!' on Saturday, September 23rd, from 9 am to 2 pm at 2755 California Ave, Signal Hill, 90755. The poster features images of household hazardous waste items like paint cans, tires, and motor oil.

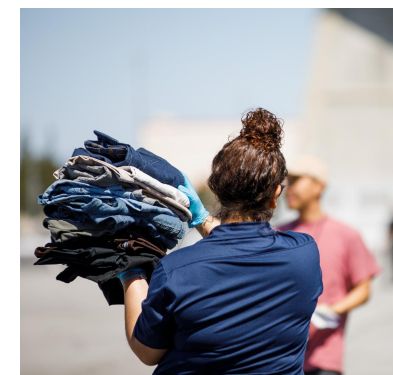
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2755 California Ave,
Signal Hill, 90755

Donation Drive Thru Event in CD4

September 23rd | 9 am - 1 pm | 2525 Grand Ave.

The City of Long Beach will host its seventh donation drive thru to collect essential items to distribute to people experiencing homelessness in Long Beach. The event will take place at the Department of Health and Human Services (Health Department) Main Facilities Center, located at 2525 Grand Ave. Donations received during the event will be distributed at the Multi-Service Center (MSC) to people experiencing homelessness and will be available to local organizations to distribute. More info [here](#).



Yom Kippur

September 25th

A message from Jewish Long Beach and the Alpert Jewish Community Center:

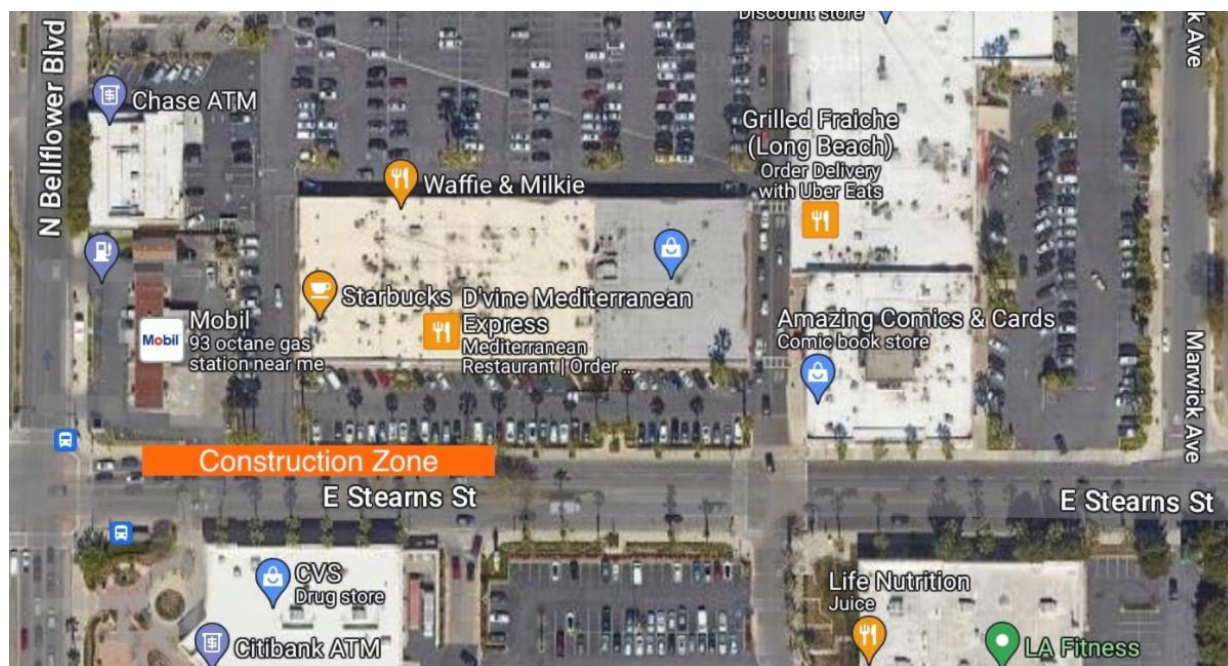
"As a reminder, the AJCC will be closed next Monday, 9/25, in observance of Yom Kippur. We wish you all a meaningful holiday and look forward to seeing everyone after the holiday."



Stearns Street Construction Project Starts Monday

September 25th – October 20th | 8:00am – 5:30pm | Stearns E/O Bellflower

Beginning Monday, September 25th, Southern California Edison's contractor, W.A. Rasic Construction, will be replacing a tube style vault along Stearns Street east of Bellflower Blvd. Working hours for this project will be from 8 am to 5:30 pm. The estimated completion date is October 20th. When driving westbound on Stearns, please be aware that one Mobil gas station driveway entrance and one shopping center entrance (near Starbucks) will be affected.



LBFD Training Center: Live Burn Schedule

September 25, 26, 28, & 29 | 7 am - 10 am | 2249 Argonne Ave.

The Long Beach Fire Training Center will be conducting live fire trainings on these dates/times that are subject to change:

- Monday (9/25) between 7:00 am – 10:00 am
- Tuesday (9/26) between 7:00 am – 10:00 am
- Thursday (9/28) between 7:00 am – 10:00 am
- Friday (9/29) between 7:00 am – 10:00 am

Live fire training is essential in the development of firefighters and teaches skills needed to perform lifesaving and property-saving operations in the City of Long Beach. Thank you for your continued support of the Long Beach Fire Department!



CD4 Community Meeting Tuesday Evening

September 26th | 5:30 - 6:45 pm | 5614 E Britton Dr.

We are hosting our Council District 4 monthly community meeting at the Los Altos Library on Tuesday, September 26th from 5:30 to 6:45 pm. All CD4 residents are invited to attend. Our special guest speakers will be Commander Mike Pennino from LBPD East and Code Enforcement Bureau Manager, Karl Wiegelman. Please join us for an informative meeting on the latest happenings in our council district.

COUNCIL DISTRICT 4 COMMUNITY MEETING NOTICE

Tuesday, September 26th
5:30 pm - 6:45 pm
Los Altos Library
Community Room



For more information, please contact
Council District 4 at (562) 570-4444 or
via email district4@longbeach.gov

Founders Day at CSULB

September 28th | 11 am start | 1250 N Bellflower Blvd.

Founders Day is dedicated to commemorating CSULB's illustrious past and promising future. On September 28, 1949, Los Angeles-Orange County State College began its first day of classes. On Thursday, September 28th, the university will mark its 5th annual Founders Day celebration. In honor of CSULB's birthday, attend an industry chat panel, tour the Anna W. Ngai Alumni Center and more. For the full schedule of events and webinars, please visit this [link](#).



Bethany School Community Kick-Off

September 29th | 5:30 pm | 2250 Clark Ave.

Come support Bethany School, enjoy a hamburger and listen to the sounds of the Long Beach Community Band! Dinner will be provided and you can purchase a sweet treat & beverage at the student council fundraiser. Seating is not provided so bring your lawn chair! This free event will take place at 5:30 PM on the school playground. Let's kick off a great new year. Let them know how many burgers to grill by clicking [here](#) to RSVP for a burger. Visit this [link](#) for more information.



Amante Art Workshop at Los Altos Library

September 30th | 1 - 2 pm | 5614 E Britton Dr.

Have you seen colorful paintings created on amate "bark" paper? Visit Los Altos Library to create your own painting like the Nahua people and learn how the Otomí people in Central Mexico make the paper. Visit this [link](#) and call (562) 570-1045 for more information.



And Finally....

60 Seconds Over Council District 4

Attached is one of the coolest videos you'll ever see of our 4th council district. It was shot Tuesday

afternoon from the cockpit of the B-29 Superfortress "Doc" that was visiting Long Beach Airport. Doc was manufactured in 1945, and that was two years before the Los Altos houses it was flying over were built. The 1-minute video begins and ends at our CD4 borders on approach to Runway 30 after an initial flyover. Circling back to the airport, the northbound aircraft first crosses PCH just west of Clark Ave. You can see the PCH corridor with the green grass of the traffic circle in the distance. The red tile roofs of The Fountains at Atherton and Clark also stand out. After crossing Park Estates, the Atherton Curve is clearly visible with Sovereign Park Estates in the distance. It then heads across Los Altos west of Bellflower Blvd. Green tree-lined Abbeyfield stands out as Doc heads directly over Los Altos Park. The Bixby School playground is to the left as Doc aligns over Tulane Ave and across the 405 Freeway at Clark Ave. The video stops on Runway 30 above the Spring Street tunnel which is the northern border of CD4. Go Fourth! *Video credit: Brett Schauf*



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