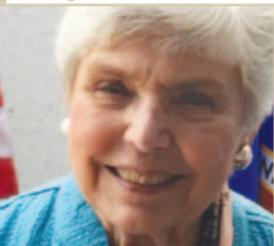


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## Residents won't miss a beat with new website

The city website has a fresh new look this month, with a beautiful clean feel and a pop of orange and blue to spice it up. But looks aren't everything, it also comes with a new functionality.

The new site, still at [sangabrielcity.com](http://sangabrielcity.com), is less cluttered, more focused on news and information and much easier to navigate. The updated news center will be a go-to source for city information and the latest city events are now prominently displayed at the bottom of the home page. View the "How Do I" tab to easily find the most frequently sought after information about the city, such as permit applications or overnight parking.

And it's not just the website that's looking good these days, the city's weekly newsletter, formally known as The Council Weekly, is now called San Gabriel City Beat and arrives in subscribers inboxes in a brand new digital format. Sign up at [www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat](http://www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat).

"Staying in the loop has never been easier in San Gabriel now that we have these great new technology updates," Public Information Officer Lauren Gold said. "Residents won't miss a beat with the new website and newsletter."

The new website will also include a new "Financial Transparency Portal," where residents can more easily find and understand important information about the city's finances. Find the portal at [www.sangabrielcity.com/1131/Financial-Transparency-Portal](http://www.sangabrielcity.com/1131/Financial-Transparency-Portal).

The City Clerk's Department is also making it easier for residents to stay informed. By the end of the year, the city will stream council meetings online so residents can watch even if they can't attend. In addition, this summer the department will finish uploading all of the city's ordinances, resolutions, agenda packets and contracts to the website.

Finally, getting documents from the city is even easier now that the City Clerk's Department has made it possible to submit a public records request online at [sangabrielcity.com/fomcenter](http://sangabrielcity.com/fomcenter).

For more information, contact Public Information Officer Lauren Gold at 626.308.2800, ext. 4624.

Text CITYBEAT to 22828 or visit [sangabrielcity.com/citybeat](http://sangabrielcity.com/citybeat) to sign up for the City Beat weekly email newsletter.

## Celebrate Parks Make Life Better!® Month with the Summer Nights series

The City Council proclaimed July as Parks Make Life Better!® Month, in conjunction with the national celebration. With the proclamation, the council encouraged residents to use and enjoy city parks and recreation programs, which add value to the community, neighborhoods and businesses.

Residents can celebrate and enjoy city parks all summer long with the San Gabriel Summer Nights series, featuring free outdoor concerts and movies every Thursday night through Aug. 11.

At the July 28 event, the Community Services Department will have a special celebration of Parks Make Life Better!® month with a showing of "Zootopia", along with free fun such as face painting, a balloon artist, games and activities for kids. The activities will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the movie will start at 8:30 p.m., all at Vincent Lugo Park.

The remaining Summer Nights programs include:

July 21	6:30 p.m.	Stage 626	Mission Playhouse Plaza
July 28	7:30 p.m.	Movie – "Zootopia"	Vincent Lugo Park
August 4	6:30 p.m.	Viva Mariachi	Vincent Lugo Park
August 11	6:30 p.m.	Jazz & The Roots of Jazz	Mission Playhouse Plaza

For more information on these events, contact Community Services Manager Tom Boecking at [tboecking@sgch.org](mailto:tboecking@sgch.org) or 626.308.2875. Any person with a disability who requires a modification or accommodation in order to participate should direct such request to the Community Services Department at 626.308.2875 at least 48 hours before the event, if possible.

### Summer Event Highlight

## Yari Moré Latin Band

Free Outdoor Concert!

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This concert is sponsored by the office of Los Angeles County Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich.

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## Council approves 2016-2017 Budget and CIP

On June 21, the San Gabriel City Council approved the 2016-2017 Budget and Capital Improvement Program, finalizing funding decisions for the upcoming fiscal year.

City staff members worked with the council over the last several months to make difficult choices about how to spend city funds to best serve the residents and accomplish the city's Strategic Plan goals. This year's \$56 million budget is balanced, with a total operating budget of \$48.4 million and \$8 million set aside for infrastructure updates and other special projects.

The budget maintains a healthy reserve, in case of a need for emergency spending. Some priority initiatives include street and sewer repairs, technology improvements, site preparation for a new police station and additional funding for economic development efforts.

To view a copy of the budget and for more information, visit [www.sangabrielcity.com/budgetcentral](http://www.sangabrielcity.com/budgetcentral) or call 626.308.2800, ext. 4610.

## A helping hand from the San Gabriel Community Foundation

There is no shortage of individuals and organizations in the San Gabriel community working hard to improve quality of life and help those in need. But often, these groups do not have enough money to do all that is needed.

That's where the San Gabriel Community Foundation comes in. The organization, made up of

representatives from the City of San Gabriel, San Gabriel Unified School District, San Gabriel Valley Medical Center and Church of Our Saviour, was formed in 2001 to provide a much-needed funding source for philanthropic endeavors in the community.

"Many people might not even know that this resource exists in our community," Foundation Governing Committee Chairman Harry Baldwin said. "But the Community Foundation plays an extremely important role in furthering great causes in San Gabriel and, in turn, directly benefiting our community members."

Each year, the foundation distributes grants to worthy San Gabriel causes that benefit the health and welfare of local residents. Previous grants have gone to help victims of sexual assault, provide child and family counseling services, assist academically challenged students in local schools and many other worthy causes. In addition, the foundation annually awards college scholarships to outstanding local high school graduates.

To be able to support these important community causes, the foundation needs the help of community donors. For those who want to do good in the community, the foundation and its long-time partner, the century-old California Community Foundation, provide a legal, financial and technical infrastructure to help donors carefully match their philanthropy to actual community needs and genuine causes. A donation to the Community Foundation is an easy and direct way to directly help the San Gabriel community.

"We're doing important work through the Community Foundation," San Gabriel City Manager and Foundation Governing Committee Member Steven A. Preston, "but we can't do it alone. We're looking for donors to help further our cause and help these students and community organizations improve our city."

For more information on the legacy services provided by the San Gabriel Community Foundation, visit our website at [www.sangabrielcf.org](http://www.sangabrielcf.org) or call 626.308.2803.



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## Infrastructure Spotlight

### Del Mar Avenue pavement project

Construction on the first phase of the Del Mar Avenue Pavement project began the first week of June and will be completed by September. This phase, the first of three, include pavement reconstruction from Mission Road to Chestnut Avenue and includes replacement of damaged curbs and sidewalks, new accessible sidewalk ramps and signal improvements. Over the next two years, the city will complete the other two phases of the project to pave Del Mar from Mission Road to the 10 Freeway.



### Public Works Facility

The brand new Public Works Facility at 917 E Grand Avenue is complete and the city's team of maintenance crews, mechanics, engineers and administrative staff are in the process of moving from the former facility on Del Mar Avenue and from City Hall into their new home. The move will help the Department better serve the public and makes room for the Police Department to begin construction on the long-awaited new police station.

For more information on these projects, contact Public Works Director Daren Grilley at 626.308.2825 or [dgrilley@sgch.org](mailto:dgrilley@sgch.org).

## City increases efficiency with new technology

It will soon be much easier for city staff members and the public to complete permit applications, building plans and other essential functions after the City Council last month approved a contract for a new land management system in June.

Overall, the new system will enhance customer service and increase transparency at City Hall. It will allow staff to input information about planning cases, permits and code enforcement cases into one centralized database. With all the information about a specific site in one place, it will be much easier for city staff members, potential businesses, developers, buyers, property owners and other members of the public to understand the full story of that site. The Land Management System will serve as a platform upon which the city can build future features, such as mapping systems (GIS) and historical permit archives.

In addition, the system will mark a dramatic advance in technology for the department, which is currently processing everything manually. More processes will be

able to be completed digitally; many simple permits can be requested via email.

Residents and developers will now be able to submit permit applications online. For the average homeowner building an addition or the developer working on a new project, this will reduce the time spent waiting at the counter in City Hall. With the new system, developers and members of the public can also look up their project status on the website.

"The biggest benefit of the new land management system will be the connection between the community and the departments, as well as the ability of the community to get information about developments," Building Official Joe Chen said. "And secondly, it really enhances the function of our city departments to be much more efficient and organized."

The new land management system fulfills a goal in the city's Technology Master Plan, in an ongoing effort to improve city functionality and help residents. For more information, call 626.308.2806.

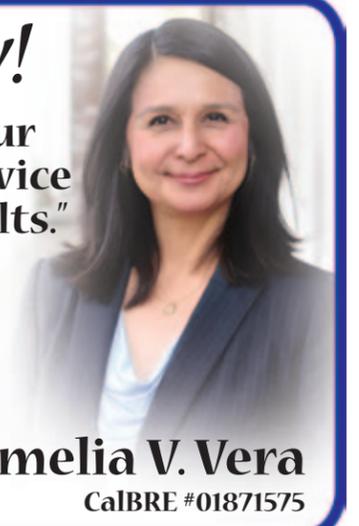
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## San Gabriel names Outstanding Older American

This year, longtime San Gabriel resident Del Dochterman was honored as the city's 2016 Outstanding Older American.

As part of her award, Dochterman was honored by the City Council and recognized by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors at the 51st Annual Older Americans Recognition Day. She also served as the grand marshal of the city's annual 4th of July parade.

Dochterman has always played an active role in the San Gabriel community. She spent 15 years as president of the Friends of the San Gabriel Library, contributing to the remodeling and opening of the new San Gabriel Library. She was a teacher at Coolidge Elementary School in San Gabriel for over 30 years, during which time she helped solidify the creation of San Gabriel High School.

After retiring, Dochterman continued to serve her community by volunteering in San Gabriel's Holiday Basket Program, supplying food and other essentials to underprivileged families during the holidays. She also was, and continues to be, a "life mentor" to young students at San Gabriel Union Church and Lake Avenue Church. Dochterman was also a member of



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the College Women's Club of Pasadena and remains an active member of Delta Kappa Gamma, a service sorority for educators.

For more information on Older American recognition and older adult programs, contact Recreation Supervisor James Lara at 626.308.2875 or [jlara@sgch.org](mailto:jlara@sgch.org).

## En Breve...

### Celebre los parques con la serie de eventos de Noches de Verano

Aún están por celebrarse cuatro eventos en la serie gratis de Noches de Verano que se presentará todos los jueves en la noche este verano. Vea un concierto a las 6:30 p.m. el 21 de julio y el 4 de agosto, y una película el 28 de julio a la 7:30 p.m. Todos estos eventos se celebrarán en el parque Vincent Lugo, localizado por la calle Wells. El 11 de agosto concluya el verano con una película y un concierto a las 6:30 p.m. en Mission Playhouse Plaza, localizado por la calle Mission Dr. Para más información, favor de llamar al 626.308.2875.

### La Fundación Comunitaria les presta ayuda a organizaciones en San Gabriel

La Fundación Comunitaria de San Gabriel [San Gabriel Community Foundation], compuesta de representantes de la Ciudad de San Gabriel, el Distrito Escolar Unificado de San Gabriel, el Centro Médico del Valle de San Gabriel y la iglesia Church of Our Saviour, se constituyó en 2001 con el fin de proporcionarle muy necesitados recursos a los empeños filantrópicos en la comunidad. La organización le ofrece becas a estudiantes y subvenciones a grupos locales sin fines de lucro. La fundación se encuentra en necesidad de donaciones para ayudar a respaldar estas causas. Obtenga más información en [www.sangabrielcf.org](http://www.sangabrielcf.org).

### Noche de Salida Nacional el 2 de agosto

El martes 2 de agosto de las 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. los vecinos a lo largo de San Gabriel se unirán a comunidades a nivel nacional para celebrar el año 33 de Noche de Salida Nacional (NNO), evento que se dedica a la prevención de la delincuencia y drogas. Para más información referente a cómo unirse a la Vigilancia Comunitaria [Neighborhood Watch] y participar en el evento Noche de Salida Nacional de este año, favor de comunicarse con Stacey Gutierrez en el Departamento de Policía de San Gabriel, Oficina para la Prevención del Crimen, al 626.308.2846.

### La Ciudad ofrece nueva tecnología para informar a sus residentes

La Ciudad cuenta con una nueva página del internet y un boletín semanal nuevo para ayudar a los residentes mantenerse al día con respeto a las noticias y eventos municipales. Asegúrese visitar el sitio web, al [www.sangabrielcity.com](http://www.sangabrielcity.com), e inscribirse para recibir el boletín al [www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat](http://www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat).

## 公共建設日

### 公園夏日夜系列活動

現在還有四次免費的夏日夜活動，在今年夏天每周四晚舉行。7月21日和8月4日晚6:30將有一場音樂會，7月28日晚7:30在Vincent Lugo公園將有一場電影放映。在8月11日晚6:30，在Mission Playhouse廣場將有一場電影和音樂會來做為此系列的收尾活動。如需更多信息，致電626.308.2875。

### 社區基金會協助聖蓋博市組織

聖蓋博社區基金會是由聖蓋博市，聖蓋博學區，聖蓋博醫療中心，和救主堂的代表組成，在2001年建立來做為社區中所需的慈善活動的資金來源。此基金會為學生提供獎學金和為本地非盈利機構提供資金補助。此基金會需要捐款來繼續這些活動。如需更多信息，訪問[www.sangabrielcf.org](http://www.sangabrielcf.org)

### 8月2日全國預防犯罪日

在周二，8月2日晚6:30—9:30，聖蓋博的鄰裡將加入全國數千個社區來進行第33屆年度全國預防犯罪日活動來預防犯罪和毒品。如果更多信息來加入鄰裡守望和參與今年的全國預防犯罪活動，請聯系聖蓋博警察局預防犯罪辦公室 Stacy Gutierrez，電話 626.308.2846

### 聖蓋博市采用新科技來與市民溝通

市政府有了一個全新的網站和全新的周報來傳達城市新聞和活動。不要忘記訪問 [www.sangabrielcity.com](http://www.sangabrielcity.com) 並登記周報 [www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat](http://www.sangabrielcity.com/citybeat).



## Tips for a safe summer in the pool

distractions, like talking on the phone, socializing, tending household chores, or drinking alcohol. The supervising adult must know how to swim.

If you have a pool, insist that toys are kept away from the pool when it's not in use, empty blow-up pools after each use, don't let children use tricycles or riding toys at poolside, ensure there are no electrical appliances near the pool, and swimmers should not dive into a pool that's not deep enough. Finally, ensure that swimmers always walk on the pool deck, not run.

Also, keep in mind that children can find ways to get into a pool even when parents aren't looking. To prevent small children from entering the pool area on their own, a fence should completely surround the pool or spa. Fences should be at least four feet high and be climb resistant. For above ground pools, remove the ladder when not in use.

The best way to keep children safe in the pool is to make sure they know how to swim. The American Academy of Pediatrics supports swimming lessons for most children four years and older.

For more information, call the Fire Department at 626.308.2880.

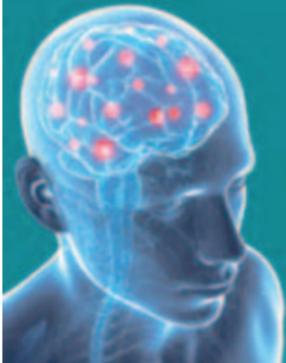
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## Celebrate National Night Out on Aug. 2

On Tuesday, Aug. 2 from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m., neighborhoods throughout San Gabriel will join thousands of communities nationwide for the 33rd Annual National Night Out (NNO) crime and drug prevention event.

During NNO, San Gabriel residents will lock their doors, turn on outside lights and spend the evening outside with neighbors. Many local neighborhoods are planning block parties, cook-outs, contests and youth activities in honor of the occasion, but NNO can be as simple as bringing your lawn chairs out front and visiting with neighbors. San Gabriel Police officers and city personnel will make an effort to visit all registered block parties with police cruisers and fire trucks.

NNO is designed to raise awareness of crime and drug prevention efforts, generate support for local anti-crime efforts, strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships and send a message to criminals that neighbors are watching out for each other.

NNO can be part of ongoing Neighborhood Watch activities or even a great way to get a Neighborhood Watch Program started in your area. Neighborhood Watch Programs help neighbors work together to make everyone's quality of life better and reduce crime.

For more information about joining Neighborhood Watch and participating in this year's National Night Out event, contact Stacy Gutierrez at the San Gabriel Police Department Crime Prevention Office at 626.308.2846.



## News Briefs

### Public Works hosts open house at new facility



On Thursday May 19, in celebration of National Public Works Week, the San Gabriel Public Works Department welcomed the public to its 14th annual open house event.

This year's event was the first time members of the public were able to see the brand new Public Works Facility. The open house was attended by the general public as well as La Casa preschool students.

This summer, the department will host an official ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new building, which includes state-of-the-art features to help the Public Works Department run more smoothly and efficiently to better serve the community,

For more information, contact Public Works Director Daren Grilley at 626.308.2825 or [dgrilley@sgch.org](mailto:dgrilley@sgch.org).

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