



# City Manager's Weekly Update

September 25, 2013

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

- 10/7** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 10/14** City Council Work  
Session, 7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 10/21** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 10/28** District 5 & 6 Town  
Hall Meeting,  
Time/Location TBD
- 11/4** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 11/11** **Veteran's Day  
Holiday. City Hall  
and libraries closed.**
- 11/12** City Council Work  
Session, 7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 11/18** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 12/2** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 12/9** City Council Work  
Session, 7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers
- 12/16** City Council Meeting,  
7:00 p.m.,  
Council Chambers

To: City Council  
From: Chris Zapata, City Manager

## Mark Your Calendar

2013 All Employee Barbecue and Service Awards (reminder)

**Thursday, September 26, 11:30 a.m., Marina Community Center, 15301 Wicks Boulevard**

- The Council is invited to attend the annual All Employee Barbecue on **September 26**. This event also will include the presentation of employee Annual Service Awards.
- RSVP to Yolanda Carrasco, if you would like to attend. I look forward to seeing you there.

Alejandro Murguia, San Francisco's First Poet Laureate to Speak (reminder)

**Saturday, September 28, 2:00 p.m., Main Library Lecture Hall, 300 Estudillo Avenue**

- In observance of *Hispanic Heritage Month*, the Main Library is proud to have as a guest speaker Alejandro Murguia, San Francisco's first Latino Poet Laureate and professor of Latina/Latino Studies at San Francisco State University. Mr. Murguia will discuss and share his profound poetry on **September 28** at this free event. Call the Main Library at 577-3971 for more information.

2013 Flu Shot Clinics (flyers attached)

**Thursdays, October 3 & 10, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street**

- The annual Flu Shot Clinics will be held on **October 3 and October 10**. This service is offered in partnership with Sutter Care at Home. Flu shots are \$5.00 per person. There is no cost for those covered by Medicare Part B. Pneumonia shots are available for \$70, preservative-free shots (for those pregnant or allergic to thimerosal) for \$30, and Flu Mist (for ages 2-49) for \$30. The fee schedule is established by the Sutter Care at Home non-profit organization, and the City receives no proceeds from the event. For further information, please call 577-3462.

Great California ShakeOut 2013 (flyer attached)

**Thursday, October 17, 10:17 a.m. (optional training at 9:30 a.m.)**

- On **October 17**, most City offices will be participating in the *Great California ShakeOut 2013*. This statewide exercise is an annual opportunity for organizations to practice emergency preparedness measures.
- At **9:30 a.m.** that morning, the Alameda County Fire Department also will conduct a Personal Emergency Preparedness (PEP) Workshop in the City Council Chambers for those interested in attending.
- At **10:17 a.m.**, an alarm will sound in most City facilities to simulate that an earthquake has just occurred. Employees and visitors will "Duck, Cover, and Hold On," just as if an earthquake had actually occurred. Then everyone will evacuate their buildings to predetermined assembly areas

according to the City's Emergency Action Plan.

- Immediately after the drill, Captains, Emergency Coordinators, Supervisors and Managers will return to the Council Chambers to discuss experiences during the drill. If you would like to participate, please contact Yolanda Carrasco.

## Council Information

### Coworking and Hacker Space/Meet the Chief Innovation Officer (CIO) Event a Success

- Last Thursday evening was the kind of night that caused the City's CIO Deborah Acosta to feel grateful to the citizens, business owners and City staff who have received her so warmly since arriving in February. Deborah organized her third of four *Meet the CIO* events welcoming to San Leandro a great mix of people from San Leandro, Oakland, San Francisco, Sacramento, Berkeley and other parts of the Bay Area to find out more about San Leandro and its interest in collaborative working spaces. [Read the complete blog on San Leandro Next.](#)
- The next Meet the CIO Event is scheduled for November 5. More on this event will be forthcoming.

### San Leandro Police Department (SLPD) Expands Crime Statistics on Web

- SLPD Chief Sandra Spagnoli announced that the [Crime Statistics webpage](#) on the City's website has expanded crime information for the community beginning with the month of [August](#).

### CalGRIP Grant Update

- This week, the San Leandro Police Department submitted a CalGRIP grant application seeking \$500,000 in state funding to enhance gang prevention/education and juvenile diversion programs. If awarded to the City, 100% of the funds will benefit children who live or go to school in San Leandro. This grant application was submitted in partnership with the [REACH Ashland Youth Center](#), the Alameda County Sheriff's Office and Probation Department, and both local school districts. In 2011, \$9.2 million in CalGRIP grants were awarded to 24 cities statewide to help combat gang violence and prevent at-risk youth from joining gangs. Nineteen of those 24 cities will be implementing proven or promising evidence-based programs. Last year, the Bay Area received more than \$1 million in CalGRIP grants. In Alameda County, Hayward and Oakland each received grants in the amount of \$369,309. 2013 awards will be announced by the end of the year.

## Posted this Week on San Leandro Next

San Leandro Next is an initiative of the City of San Leandro Community Development Department providing news and updates on economic development and innovation. The following stories were posted this week:

- [Coworking and Hacker Space Event at Library – Our Panel Rocked It!](#)
- [Photos From San Leandro Street Eats](#)

To follow San Leandro Next, please visit [www.sanleandronext.com](http://www.sanleandronext.com) or connect with us on [Facebook](#) or [Twitter](#).

# SENIOR FLU SHOT CLINICS

Don't catch the flu! Come to the Senior Community Center and get your flu shot from a Sutter Care at Home Nurse. Stay healthy for the holiday season!

Thursday, October 3, 2013  
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 10, 2013  
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.



This is a drop-in program.  
First come, first served.

No appointment needed!

Senior Community Center  
13909 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street, San Leandro

Please read back side of flyer for information regarding flu shots and **REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION**



## FLU SHOT FEES:

\$5.00

NO CHARGE if covered by Medicare Part B  
(must bring proof of insurance)

\$30 for Preservative-Free Shot

\$30 for Flu Mist (only for ages 2 – 49)

For questions about the *clinic*, call (510) 577-3462.

For questions about *flu shots*, call SUTTER CARE AT HOME FLU HOTLINE at 1-800-500-2400 or visit [suttercareathome.org](http://suttercareathome.org).



Senior Services, Senior Community Center  
13909 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street  
San Leandro, CA 94578  
Phone: (510) 577-3462 / FAX: (510) 577-7989



## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

### How much are the shots?

The flu shot is \$5, preservative free flu shot is \$30 (for those pregnant or allergic to thimerosal), Flu Mist is \$30 and the pneumonia shot is \$70.

### If you are covered by Medicare, is your shot free?

If you are covered by Medicare Part B, there is no cost to you for the shot. Sutter Care at Home will bill Medicare for payment. We will verify coverage by checking the red, white and blue Medicare Part B card at the time of the shot.

### Are Medicare HMOs the same as Medicare Part B?

No. If you are covered by a Medicare HMO, such as Pacificare, Medicare Advantage, Kaiser, SecureHorizons, Healthnet Seniority Plus, CHAMPUS, etc., you need to pay for your shot at the clinic or see your own health care provider for a shot.

### What about non-Medicare insurance, such as Kaiser, PacifiCare, Healthnet or Blue Cross?

Other than Medicare Part B, Sutter Care at Home cannot bill insurance companies for a shot. If you do not have Medicare Part B coverage, you will need to pay in order to receive a shot at the clinic. Sutter Care at Home will provide a receipt for you to submit to your insurance company for possible reimbursement of all or part of what you've paid. Sutter Care at Home is not responsible for any difference between what you pay and what you may receive as reimbursement.

### Do you give shots to children?

We provide shots for children ages 3 and above if accompanied by a parent or guardian. We provide FluMist for children 2 and above if accompanied by a parent or guardian.

### Do you give shots to pregnant women?

We provide shots for pregnant women. In accordance with State regulations, we will provide preservative-free vaccine for pregnant women, as our supplies last. The cost for a preservative-free shot for a pregnant woman is \$30.

### Who should receive a pneumonia shot?

Pneumonia vaccinations are recommended for those 65 years or older. Only one pneumonia shot is needed after age 65, if you have not received one before. If you received a pneumonia shot before you turned 65, you should get a booster shot after you turn 65. There should be five years between the initial shot and the booster. Please check with your doctor if you are unsure about whether you need a pneumonia vaccine.

### What if this is my first flu shot?

If this is your first time receiving a flu shot, please plan on remaining at the clinic for 10 minutes after you get your shot, in the unlikely event that there is a reaction to the shot.

### What is Sutter Care at Home?

We are a not-for-profit community based home health care and hospice organization that serves 12 Northern California counties. All proceeds from our flu shot clinics help support local home care and end of life care services, and community support groups, so that these services are available for all who need them, regardless of ability to pay. In 2006, Sutter Care at Home celebrated its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary providing health care to patients and families in their homes.

# Get Ready to ShakeOut.

October 17, 2013 Register Now at [www.shakeout.org](http://www.shakeout.org)



**WHO:** San Leandro City Employees  
**WHAT:** The Great California Shake Out  
**WHERE:** San Leandro City Council Chambers  
**WHY:** To prepare yourself  
**WHEN:** October 17th at 9:30 AM



- At **9:30 AM** the Alameda County Fire Department will conduct a Personal Emergency Preparedness (PEP) Workshop at San Leandro City Council Chambers for those interested in attending.
- At **10:17 AM** the fire alarm will sound, which will indicate that the earthquake drill has begun and will last one minute.
- *If you are at your desk, get underneath your desk and hold on.*
- *If you are not at a desk, drop down and cover your head.*
- At **10:18 AM** the earthquake will “end” and all city employees will evacuate via the designated evacuation route posted at your exits.
- Assigned personnel will ensure that everyone is out of their office.
- **Attendance Controllers** will perform a head count of city employees in their designated Assembly Area (according to departmental evacuation maps).
- Once the head count is finished, *Attendance Controllers, Facility Action Safety Team (FAST) Captains, Evacuation Coordinators, Supervisors, & Managers,* will return to the **Council Chambers** to discuss what happened, people’s experiences during the drill, what they were thinking about, what caused concern, what worked well and what did not.