



City Manager's Weekly Update

March 19, 2014

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- 3/24** Mayor's State of the City Address, 6:00 p.m. (mixer); 7:00 p.m. (Mayor's address), Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14th Street
- 4/7** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 4/14** No City Council Work Session
- 4/21** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 4/28** City/SLUSD/SLzUSD Joint Work Session, 7:00 p.m., Main Library
- 5/5** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 5/12** District 1, 2 & 5 Town Hall Meeting, Time/Location TBD
- 5/19** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 6/2** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 6/9** City Council Work Session, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers
- 6/16** City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers

To: City Council
From: Chris Zapata, City Manager

Mark Your Calendar

Mayor's State of the City Address

Monday, March 24, 6:00 p.m. (social gathering); 7:00 p.m. (Mayor's address), Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14th Street

- As part of his annual address on **March 24**, Mayor Stephen Cassidy will provide an update on the acceleration of San Leandro's innovation climate, as well as other exciting local developments, including:
 - Various initiatives to improve the local quality of life, including the return of the Cherry Festival on May 31, and efforts to enhance local artistic and cultural amenities
 - Transforming the City's industrial area into a center for innovation
 - The City's ongoing efforts to attract and retain new business investment
 - Major new local projects that will be coming on line in 2014

Surviving or Thriving During Times of Transition (reminder)

Tuesday, March 25, 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14th Street

- The Recreation and Human Services Department is pleased to offer a free workshop entitled *Surviving or Thriving During Times of Transition* on **March 25**. This 1.5 hour presentation is suitable for all ages to attend, and is presented by Dr. Patrick Arbore.
- Dr. Patrick Arbore is the Founder and Director of the Center for Elderly Suicide Prevention and Grief Related Services and the Friendship Line, a 24-hour telephone counseling program for older adults. He is also the Director of Staff Development at the Institute on Aging and co-recipient of the 2002 Gloria A. Cavanaugh Award for excellence in training and education in aging. Dr. Arbore will share his insights about enhancing physical and emotional health to improve quality of life during times of transition.
- To pre-register for this class, please call 577-3462 and reference Course #31590.

Shredding and Techno Trash Recycling Event (flyer attached)

Saturday, March 29, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Public Works Service Center, 14200 Chapman Road

- The City's Recycling Program is hosting its first Shredding and Techno Trash Recycling Event on **March 29**. Residents can safely and securely shred confidential documents on the spot, as well as drop off CDs, DVDs, floppy disks, jewel cases, household batteries, iPods, PDAs, empty toner cartridges and audio and video tapes for recycling.
- For more information, go to www.recyclesanleandro.org or call 577-6026.

Earth Day and Watershed Festival (flyer attached)

Saturday, April 12, 9:30 a.m. to noon (Creek Cleanup); noon to 4:00 p.m. (Festival), Root Park, East 14th Street at Hays Street

- The Friends of San Leandro Creek will host its annual Earth Day and Watershed Festival on **April 12**.
- Story telling, recycled art projects, recycling & composting and more, plus food trucks from the "Food Truck Mafia" and live entertainment from the Banana Slug String Band!
- For more information about this event, contact Slevenson@sanleandro.org or call (510) 577-6069.

Council Information

East Bay EDA Releases Winter 2014 Regional Intelligence Report

- The East Bay Economic Development Alliance recently issued the winter 2014 Regional Intelligence Report providing a snapshot of the state of the East Bay economy.
- In general the report demonstrates continued economic growth, although the pace has slowed somewhat from recent levels. "Growth in the last two quarters averaged over 3.5%, industrial production levels reached an all time high, and unemployment dropped below 7%" (San Leandro is presently at 6.7%).
- Although some facets of the employment markets remain sluggish in recovering from the recession, taxable sales and real estate values continue to climb at a healthy pace.
- [Read the full report here.](#)

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:

- [New Restaurant Round-up](#)
- [Merchant at the Market Booth Opportunities at Two Weekly Downtown Events](#)

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



City of San Leandro Recycling Program Spring Events 2014

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March

Shredding & Techno Trash Recycling Event

Saturday, March 29 • 9:00am – 1:00pm

City of San Leandro Public Works Service Center, 14200 Chapman Rd.

Are you concerned about privacy when disposing of confidential papers? Get rid of unwanted personal documents in a safe and secure manner. Join the San Leandro Recycling Program for its first document shredding event and watch your documents get shredded on the spot! Residents can also drop-off CDs, DVDs, floppy disks, jewel cases, household batteries, ipods, PDAs, empty toner cartridges, and audio and video tapes for recycling.



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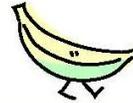
SAVE THE DATE:
Saturday, April 12, 2014



Friends of San Leandro Creek's Earth Day/Watershed Festival

Saturday, April 12

Don't miss it!



Food Truck Mafia

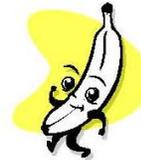


Date: 4/12/2014



Place:

Root Park, San Leandro



9:30-12:00 Creek Clean Up

For More Info Contact:

Susan 510-577-6069

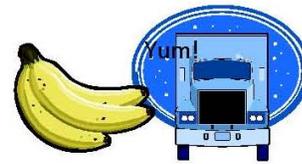
12:00-4:00 Festival Fun Family Activities,
like recycled art projects, composting, story
telling, food trucks from "Food
Truck Mafia"
AND our
headliner,

Slevenson@sanleandro.org

Friend's website:
www.fslc.org

The Banana Slug String Band!

Who will play family favorites like "We all Live
Downstream", "Storm Drain Blues" and "Dirt made
my Lunch"



Root Park is located at East 14th Street at Hays Street,
One block north of Davis Street in downtown San Leandro.

Event Sponsored by:

