



City Manager's Weekly Update

August 13, 2014

UPCOMING MEETINGS

August Recess

- 9/2** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 9/8** Candidate Orientation,
7:00 p.m.,
Main Library, Karp
Room
- 9/15** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 10/6** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 10/13** No City Council Work
Session
- 10/20** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 10/27** City Council Work
Session, 7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 11/03** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 11/10** City Council Work
Session, 7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 11/17** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 12/01** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 12/08** City Council Work
Session, 7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers
- 12/15** City Council Meeting,
7:00 p.m.,
Council Chambers

To: City Council
From: Chris Zapata, City Manager

Mark Your Calendar

Alameda County Fire Dept. - Personal Emergency Preparedness Disaster Training

Tuesday, August 19, 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., Washington Manor Branch Library, 1241 Manor Blvd., San Leandro

- Participants in this class will learn how to prepare for an emergency or a disaster by minimizing potential dangers in the home and/or workplace by becoming informed, preparing a disaster kit, and working out a communication plan. To register for the event, please visit the [ACFD Emergency Preparedness page](#).

Fire Advisory Commission Meeting

Thursday, August 21, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Alameda County Fire Department Administration Bldg, 6363 Clark Avenue, Dublin

- The next quarterly Fire Advisory Commission meeting will be held on August 21 at the Alameda County Fire Department (ACFD) Administrative Offices. The agenda will be posted 72 hours prior to the meeting on the [Fire Department website](#).

Fire Ops 101 (see attached flyer)

Saturday, September 13, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Alameda County Fire Training Tower, 890 Lola St., San Leandro

- Local 55 in conjunction with ACFD management are hosting Fire Ops 101. Fire Ops 101 will provide a working knowledge of the challenges and unique nature of fire protection in your community. The program agenda will include suiting up in firefighter protective clothing, donning a self-contained breathing apparatus and going inside a real fire to experience the environment in which firefighters work. Although this will be a controlled situation, it will nevertheless provide an opportunity to see and feel what firefighters encounter on a daily basis. There will also be an Observer Level of participation that will NOT include wearing a self-contained breathing apparatus.
- Please RSVP to Sue Beville (sue.beville@acgov.org) no later than Tuesday, September 2, 2014 using the [2014 Fire Ops 101 RSVP Form](#).

Alameda County Fire Dept. – Community Emergency Response Training
Thursday, Aug 21 – Sept 25, San Leandro Senior Community Center, 13909 E. 14th Street, 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

- For six consecutive Thursdays beginning on August 21 and concluding on September 25, the Alameda County Fire Department also will be providing a free Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) class, consisting of 20 hours of training from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

The CERT Program educates people about disaster preparedness for hazards in their homes, neighborhoods and workplace. Using the training learned, CERT members can assist others following an event when professional responders are not immediately available to help. To register for the event, please visit the [ACFD Emergency Preparedness page](#).

Council Information

Mayor and City Council Candidate Nomination Period Closes Today

- The nomination period for Mayor and City Council seats closes at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday August 13. Thirteen San Leandro residents qualified for candidacy, including: four individuals for Council District 1, three for Council District 3, three for Council District 5, and three for Mayor. Additional details have been published on the [candidate information page](#).

November 2014 Ballot – Measure Letters Assigned

- The Alameda County Registrar of Voters has assigned letters to the two local measures that will be appearing on the November 2014 ballot. The measure letters will be identified as follows:
 - Measure HH – (related to the Sales Tax Extension)
 - Measure II – (related to the selection of Vice Mayor)
- For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (510) 577-3367.

Correspondence From Other Agencies

East Bay Municipal Utilities District (EBMUD) – Mandatory Water Usage Restrictions

- At the August 12th EBMUD Board meeting, mandatory limitations for watering of outdoor landscapes were adopted. Watering is now limited to a maximum of two times per week. This mandate is in effect for all EBMUD customers until further notice. The Department of Public Works has begun implementing these requirements throughout all city-owned property, although it will likely take one to two weeks for all irrigation systems to be fully modified to the new schedules.



August 4, 2014

Sent Via Email



To: EMOG Members

From: Sean Burrows, President, ACFFA L-55
David A. Rocha, Fire Chief, Alameda County Fire Department

The Alameda County Fire Fighters Association (ACFFA) IAFF Local 55 and the Alameda County Fire Department (ACFD) have an established reputation for providing superior customer service and the highest quality of fire and emergency services to communities throughout Alameda County. The ACFFA and ACFD are pleased to inform you that we will be hosting a one-day fire ground operations orientation, ***Fire Ops 101***, for elected public officials and representatives of the media. We value our long standing partnership between labor and management that uniquely positions us to make this offer.

Fire Ops 101 will provide you with a working knowledge of the challenges and unique nature of fire protection in your community. The action-packed program agenda will include suiting up in firefighter protective clothing, donning a self-contained breathing apparatus and going inside a real fire to experience the environment in which firefighters work. Although this will be a **controlled situation**, it will provide an opportunity to see and feel what firefighters encounter. It definitely promises to be a very exciting and informative day! **You also may choose the Observer Level of participation that will not include wearing self-contained breathing apparatus, and will be very informative.**

This event will be held on **Saturday, September 13, 2014, from 8:00 am – 2:30 pm** at the Alameda County Fire Training Center located at 890 Lola Street in San Leandro. This event will be closed to the general public. For those participating in Live Fire or Vehicle Extrication, a short session on **Friday, September 12, from 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm** is required to assure waivers are signed and to size each participant for protective fire gear (turn outs). This will be held at ACFD's Station #10 located at 2194 Williams Street in San Leandro. We hope you can make room in your busy schedule to experience this once in a lifetime opportunity.

We would be honored if you would consider participating in this activity, and we sincerely hope you can attend the one-day fire and emergency medical services orientation program. We believe this will provide you an amazing perspective about the ACFD and its members. **Please reserve your spot for this event by returning the following RSVP form no later than Tuesday, September 2, 2014 to sue.beville@acgov.org.**

If you have any questions, please contact Sue Beville at 925-833-3473 x1120 or via email (sue.beville@acgov.org).

As always, we appreciate your support.

2014 Fire Ops 101 RSVP Form

***Please email RSVP to Sue Beville (sue.beville@acgov.org)
no later than Tuesday, September 2, 2014***

There are 2 ways to participate in Fire Ops 101, you can sign up for hands-on training or as an observer only. Please check the appropriate box below.

Name: _____ Email Address: _____

- Hands-on Participant
- Observe Only
- Regret I Cannot Attend

To expedite the session on Friday, September 12, we would like to get general sizing information from those planning on hands-on participation.

Please provide us with the following:

Shoe size: _____

Jacket size: _____

Pant size: _____