



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

FROM THE OFFICE OF
ASSEMBLY MAJORITY LEADER

Isaac G. Bryan

IN THE CAPITOL BRYAN'S BILLS

Ready, Set, Sign

Governor Newsom signed 7 of our bills into law:

AB 507	Presidential Election protection
AB 1400	Financial Aid for HBCU Students
AB 421	Direct Democracy Protection
AB 60	Right to Restorative Justice
AB 424	ALS Registry
AB 764	Local Redistricting Standards
AB 954	Reduce Barriers to Family Reunification

IN THE DISTRICT WHAT WE DID

- ✓ Cut the ribbon on Culver City's new [Project Homekey Sites](#)
- ✓ Hosted a Community [Health Fair](#)
- ✓ Closed on a productive [legislative session](#)
- ✓ Discussed the state of [LA's Youth Justice](#)

Upcoming Events

October is Disability, Domestic Violence & Breast Cancer Awareness Month

- 10/14 Volunteer Orientation for LA County Libraries @ Lloyd Taber Library ([more info](#))
5th Annual Culver City Art Walk and Roll Festival ([more info](#))
- 10/16 **Deadline to File State Taxes and Claim the Young Child Tax Credit** ([more info](#))
- 10/19 Community Conversation: Future of Veterans Memorial Park & Bill Botts Field ([more info](#))
- 10/21 Becoming an Empowered Consumer Class @ Culver City Library ([register](#))
Donna Sernberg & Dancers Present: 'Moon Rock' @ Wende Museum (free, [more info](#))
- 10/27 Free vaccine Clinic @ Culver City Library ([register](#))
- 10/28 The Radical Power of Dance - Free Event w/Supervisor Holly Mitchell ([RSVP](#))
- 10/30 SMART Landscape Series: Rainwater Harvesting, Free SoCal Gas Webinar ([register](#))
- 10/31 Halloween



SAVE THE DATE for Majority Leader Bryan's **Pet Wellness Day** on Nov. 4th!



SAVE THE DATE!
NOV 4TH
PET
WELLNESS
DAY

HOSTED BY



ISAAC BRYAN

MAJORITY LEADER, DISTRICT 55

AND

Michelson
Found Animals

TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH
4020 ROXTON AVE
LOS ANGELES, CA 90008

Important Notices

COVID-19 VACCINE

RESIDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO GET UPDATED COVID-19 VACCINE FOR MAXIMUM PROTECTION AGAINST SEVERE ILLNESS

As the new updated COVID-19 vaccine becomes available across Los Angeles County, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (Public Health) encourages residents to make a plan to get vaccinated in order to have the best protection against severe illness, hospitalization, long COVID, and death from COVID-19. To learn more, [click here](#).

For assistance or to request free transportation or [in-home vaccination](#) call 1-833-540-0473. The Public Health Call Center is open from 8:00am to 8:00pm 7 days a week.



LOS ANGELES COUNTY REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

VOTER REGISTRATION

YOU CAN REGISTER TO VOTE IF YOU ARE:



A U.S. Citizen

18+

18 years of age or older



Not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court



A California resident



Not currently serving a State or Federal prison term for the conviction of a felony



Scan QR Code

REGISTRATION OPTIONS

- Register to vote by visiting [LAVOTE.GOV](#)
- Scan QR Code
- Mail paper application
(Available at most government buildings, such as libraries or DMV offices.)

Re-register, if you change your name, address or party political preference



Check your voter registration status online at [LAVOTE.GOV/vrstatus](#)

Rev. 4/2022

12400 Imperial Hwy. Norwalk, CA 90650

[LAVOTE.GOV](#)



FREESNACK PROGRAM

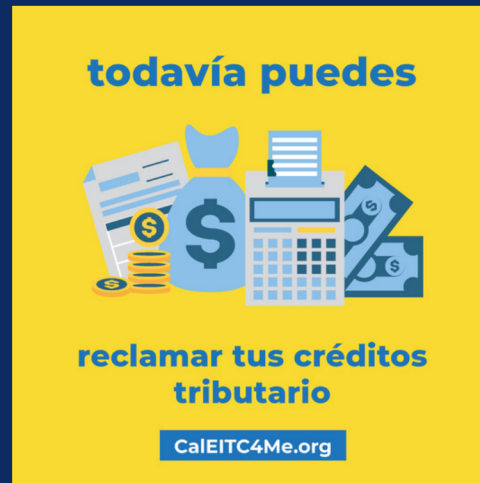
The Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation has brought back its Free Snack Program from now through May 24, 2024.

Children, ages 18 and younger, are invited to receive nutritious lunches and snacks Monday through Friday from 3 pm to 4 pm. at 46 LA County Parks.

To locate a free snack site at an L.A. County Park near you, please visit [Free Snack Program](#).



Important Notices Cont'd



#DidYouKnow? There's still time to claim your tax credits this year for many Californians. The tax deadline was extended to October 16 for Californians in much of the state. Find out more and learn how to file and claim your credits at caleitc.org.

#SabíasQue... Como muchos californianos, todavía puedes reclamar tus créditos tributarios este año. La fecha límite se extendió hasta el 16 de octubre para gran parte del estado de California. Infórmate más y aprende cómo declarar tus impuestos y reclamar tus créditos tributarios en caleitc.org.

Get the new vaccine for maximum protection against severe illness, hospitalization, long COVID and death from the virus. For more information, visit PublicHealth.lacounty.gov/Vaccines.

WHY GET VACCINATED?



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In the District

The logo for Culver City, featuring the word "Culver" in a red script font and "CITY" in a white sans-serif font, both on a red banner.

The public draft

General Plan 2045

Culver CITY

is now available for review!



The Public Draft General Plan is now available for review!

Visit the [project website](#) to view the draft elements and submit your feedback. The comment form will be open for a 60-day review period until November 30th, 2023.

Community Engagement

The City will also be holding several community meetings, in person and online, throughout the review period to gather comments and answer questions from the community about the content of the Plan. The first meeting will take place on Thursday, October 5th at 6:00pm. Join online or in person in the Patacchia Room at Culver City Hall, 9770 Culver Blvd, Culver City, CA 90232. [View the calendar](#) for more information and to learn about other upcoming outreach events.

What is the General Plan?

The General Plan is intended as the City's primary guide for land use decisions and is a key tool for shaping and improving the quality of life for residents. The Plan reflects the community's vision for the future, input gathered in dozens of community engagement activities, and technical analysis performed since 2019. To implement the vision, the Plan sets forth a comprehensive set of goals, policies, and actions for the City to undertake.

If you have any questions, please contact Advance Planning staff at (310) 253-5740 or Advance.Planning@CulverCity.org.

**Culver
CITY**

Culver City Celebrates Disability Awareness Month

Join us throughout the month of October!
Follow Parks, Recreation and Community Services (PRCS) on Instagram or PRCS on Facebook to learn fun facts and to keep up with this month's activities!

[Learn more about Culver City's Disability Services](#)



PARTICIPATE IN THE EQUITY IN INFRASTRUCTURE COMMUNITY SURVEY

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Works invites you to share your thoughts on improving important services, such as road repairs, flood control, water quality, bike lanes, and waste removal, in your community. Your feedback will be used to create a more just and equitable L.A. County for all. To learn more and to complete the survey visit, [The Equity in Infrastructure Initiative](#).

Resources



California Climate Action Corps 2024 Fellowship Recruitment

[California Climate Action Corps](#) is now accepting [applications](#) for the upcoming fellowship starting February 1 - September 13, 2024. Fellows will work with public agencies, tribes, nonprofits, and schools throughout the state to engage communities in climate action and education. Fellows earn up to \$28,000 in living stipends and money for school to pay educational expenses at eligible schools and training programs or repay qualified student loans.

[Apply](#) today



211 LA IS HIRING FOR REMOTE COMMUNITY RESOURCE ADVISOR POSITIONS

211 LA is now hiring Community Resource Advisors and are hosting job fairs on Tuesday, October 10, and Wednesday, October 11. Apply online or receive more information about the position at [BambooHR](#).



DPSS IN-HOME SUPPORTIVE SERVICES SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

Volunteer today to help elderly and disabled residents. The DPSS In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) Program is recruiting volunteers to assist with the department's Electronic Visit Verification project. For more information and to apply, visit [Volunteer Services \(lacounty.gov\)](#).

GOOD NEWS**for CalWORKs Families**

If you owe back rent and/or utilities, the DPSS **Emergency Assistance to Prevent Eviction (EAPE)** Program may be able to help.

First-time EAPE applicants may receive up to \$5,000 to pay back rent and/or utilities.

To submit an application, access the form by visiting <https://bit.ly/34EvYJt> and contact the Customer Service Center for further assistance <https://dpss.lacounty.gov/en/customer-service.html>.

dpss.lacounty.gov



EMERGENCY RENT ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE FOR CALWORKS FAMILIES

CalWORKs participants who are behind on rent can visit their local DPSS office to request Emergency Assistance to Prevent Eviction (EAPE). Download the EAPE fact sheet to learn more. Submit an application to your CalWORKs Eligibility Worker.

Ways to Save Water and Manage Bills



Convert Your Turf:

- \$5 per square foot turf rebates for switching to waterwise landscaping
- Free DIY online landscaping resources, such as webinars, training classes, and instructional videos

LADWP.com/Landscaping

Rebates:

- \$500 for high-efficiency clotheswashers
- \$200 for weather-based controllers
 - \$6 per rotating nozzle
- Free showerheads and aerators

Tools: Flume leak detection device

Learn more: LADWP.com/Save

RESOURCES FOR RENTERS

from the Office of Mayor Karen Bass



Important Dates

Tenants had until August 1, 2023 to pay any missing *rent due between March 1, 2020 and September 30, 2021*.

For *rent due between October 1, 2021 and January 31, 2023*, tenants have until February 1, 2024 to pay the missing rent.

Eviction Resources & Guidelines

- Read your paperwork carefully and file an answer within 5 days.
- Reach out to the LA Housing Department.
- Reach out to StayHoused LA.
- Reach out to your local Council Office. Find out who your council member is here.

Tenant Harassment Assistance

- The LA Housing Department.
- A legal assistance group like Coalition for Economic Survival. Find a list here.
- Local Council Office. Find out who your council member is here.

*Renter harassment can take many forms, including refusal to complete required repairs, threatening physical harm, asking about immigration status, and more. To see a full list of what qualifies as renter harassment in the City of Los Angeles, click HERE.

Eviction Protections

- **Late Rent:** Tenants who owe less than one month of back rent (as set by the HUD Fair Market Rent for) cannot be evicted on the basis of late rent
- **“Just Cause” Protections:** A landlord cannot evict a tenant without declaring a legal reason for eviction. For more information about “just cause” protections, click here.
- **Relocation Assistance:** Tenants have the option to claim relocation assistance if they 1) receive a rent increase of more than 10% within a 12 month period and are unable to afford the rent increase OR 2) are served a No-Fault eviction. For more information about relocation assistance, click here.
- **Notice of Renters’ Protections:** All landlords of residential properties must provide a Notice of Renters’ Protections to tenants who begin or renew their tenancy. This notice must also be posted in an accessible common area of the property. For more information, click here

Other Resources

- video training on tenant protections
- Tenant Power Toolkit
- StayHousedLA workshops



Did you know that Medi-Cal covers cancer screenings, including mammograms, radiation, and chemotherapy? Know your rights to cancer treatment under Medi-Cal and schedule your mammogram screening TODAY. Call the Healthcare Consumer Alliance at 888-804-3536 to speak with a health consumer advocate



Westside Food Bank's annual 5k Hunger Walk is coming up on Sunday, November 5th - Register Your Team Today!

The Hunger Walk is an awareness event where all participants walk for free, receive a free t-shirt, and are treated to a pre-event program at Ocean View Park right across the street from Santa Monica Beach.

You can sign up for the Hunger Walk at wsfb.org/hungerwalk. You can form a team, set a fundraising goal, and have family, friends, and co-workers donate as part of your team.

There are many ways to participate and get involved, so, please participate in the way that works best for you.



CALL THE DPSS RENEWAL LINE

Need to renew your benefits? Call 888-999-7671 to complete the Semi-Annual Report (SAR 7) to renew CalWORKs cash and CalFresh food benefits. Help is available Monday – Friday, from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Visit [Department of Public Social Services \(lacounty.gov\)](https://dpss.lacounty.gov) for more information.

Sometimes those with
Alzheimer's, Dementia or
Autism wander.

**L.A. County is here
to help.**



Through L.A. FOUND, if your loved one suffers from Alzheimer's, dementia, autism or any cognitive impairment and is mobile, they may qualify for a **free tracking bracelet**. Join us to learn more about the program, how the tracking bracelet works, how to apply or refer individuals to L.A. Found.



**Where can I get a free
tracking bracelet?**

For more information, visit

<https://lafound.lacounty.gov/tracking-technology/>



DOES SOMEONE YOU KNOW NEED AN ALZHEIMER'S BRACELET?

If a loved one suffers from Alzheimer's, dementia, autism, or any cognitive impairment and is mobile, they may qualify for a **FREE** tracking bracelet from LA Found.

For more information and to learn about the program and the bracelet, visit [L.A. Found | Tracking Technology \(lacounty.gov\)](https://lafound.lacounty.gov/tracking-technology/).



Tests are free and widely available at many locations throughout Los Angeles County, including all libraries within the city of Los and at designed libraries in Los Angeles County. For more information on how to access free tests, visit <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/covidtests>



If you don't have a provider, call the Public Health Call Center at 1-833-540-0473, seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 8:30 p.m., for more information about COVID-19 and access to free testing and treatment.



Domestic Violence Resources

If you are experiencing domestic violence and in need of shelter, please call the hotline below. Support is always available. This hotline is confidential and available 24/7.

LA County Domestic Violence 24/hr Support:
1-800-978-3600

Emergency Domestic Violence Shelter 24/hr Hotlines in our District:

1736 Family Crisis Center 213-745-6434
Jenesse Center, Inc. 800-479-7328

Other Resources:

National Deaf Domestic Violence 24/7 Hotline Video phone 1-855-812-1001
LA County Elder Abuse Reporting Hotline (877) 477-3646
Parent Hopeline 323-790-LADL (5235) *For Support Engaging with DCFS



department
of economic
opportunity
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES



ARE YOU BETWEEN 14-24 YEARS OLD AND LOOKING FOR A JOB?

YOU CAN EARN \$\$ WHILE LEARNING VALUABLE LIFE & WORK SKILLS

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*:

- L.A. County Resident
- 14-24 years of age
- Have the right to work in the U.S.
- Selective service registration may be required if male over 18 years of age

*Other eligibility requirements apply

PROGRAM ELEMENTS:

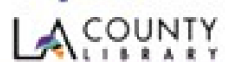
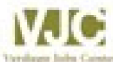
- Receive 160 hours of paid training and work experience while earning \$16.04 per hour
- Opportunities to work for a variety of employers in public, private, or non-profit sectors
- Potential long-term employment options

TO APPLY ONLINE, GO TO: <https://bit.ly/LACYAW>



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LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER/PROGRAM. AUXILIARY AIDS AND SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES. YOUTH@WORK IS PARTIALLY FUNDED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

PARENTS!

Did you have \$0 earnings in 2022?
 Didn't file taxes in 2023?
 Have a child under age 6?

YOU can claim the Young Child Tax Credit (YCTC) worth \$1083!

To claim your YCTC, file by October 16!

Call 888-445-1955 or visit [FreeTaxPrepLA.org](https://www.freetaxprepla.org) to schedule your appointment TODAY!



dpss.lacounty.gov



CLAIM YOUR YOUNG CHILD TAX CREDIT CalWORKs parents! Did you know you can claim the Young Child Tax Credit of \$1,083 if you have a child under age six, even if you had \$0 earnings in 2022 and didn't file taxes in 2023? Free Tax Prep LA can help you file your claim for FREE! Call 888-445-1955 to schedule your appointment.



LOS ANGELES COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION



FREE SNACK PROGRAM

Monday through Friday
September 5, 2023- May 24, 2024
 Snack is served from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

For location and holiday closures:
parks.lacounty.gov/snackprogram



dpss.lacounty.gov



Learn more at [Free Snack Program - Parks & Recreation](https://parks.lacounty.gov/snackprogram).



LOS ANGELES

New LA Parks & Recreation Activity Discover Tool

Discover Activities

♥ Favorites

Category ▼
Location ▼
Time ▼
Who ▼
Price ▼

Quickly find and register for your favorite LA Parks programs using our new Activity Discovery tool.

[Discover Now](#)



Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival is hosting an 8-week creative workshop of storytelling, movement, and song that will conclude with a public presentation and reception.

The program will take place every Wednesday at the Culver City Teen Center from 3:30-5pm starting September 20th, and will conclude November 8th with a performance at the Veteran's Center on Nov 12.

We are seeking young creative voices who are interested in acting, storytelling, and the arts. Contact Lindsay @ (414) 719-5024 lindsay@lawtf.org