



City Council Newsletter

From the Office of the City Manager

City Manager's Office

The City Council newsletter is an ongoing publication to better communicate updates on the work behind the scenes, across City Departments, to our City Council. The newsletter is organized by Department. Please note that this newsletter is a snapshot of projects and programs and does not encompass all of the wide-reaching work occurring in our City organization. For more information, please contact the City Manager's Office at (650) 991-8127.

Love Not Hate: Welcoming All

**2ND ANNUAL LOVE NOT HATE:
WELCOMING ALL**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2019
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
CITY HALL ROSE GARDEN & PLAZA
333 90TH STREET, DALY CITY 94015**

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS
SUPERVISOR DAVID J. CANEPA - DISTRICT 5 • SAN MATEO COUNTY CENSUS 2020
SAN MATEO COUNTY IMMIGRANT SERVICES • SAN MATEO COUNTY PRIDE CENTER
BAY AREA UNITED AGAINST HATE • FAITH IN ACTION • SANTAMARIA LAW FIRM
PILIPINO BAYANIHAN RESOURCE CENTER (PBRC) • REPUBLIC SERVICES

DALY CITY STANDS UNITED AGAINST HATE

**JOIN US FOR BBQ
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS
BRANDED T-SHIRT &
UNITED AGAINST HATE
POSTER GIVEAWAYS
(FIRST 250 ATTENDEES)**

LIVE PERFORMANCES
WESTLAKE SCHOOL FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS
CHAVALOS DANZAS POR NICARAGUA
PBRC SENIOR CULTURAL DANCE GROUP
AND VIOLIN BY MIKAYLA LEYSON

SPONSORS
PENINSULA CENTER (Dental Implants & Oral Surgery) • REPUBLIC SERVICES • DALY CITY CALIFORNIA

Join us for the second annual Love Not Hate event on Saturday, October 19 from 10am - 12pm in the City Hall Rose Garden. The 2019 theme is "Welcoming All" to coincide with the City's application to become a "Welcoming City." The event will feature live entertainment, informational booths and a BBQ lunch hosted by the Department of Water and Wastewater Resources.

The event is free. Free t-shirt and poster giveaway for the first 250 attendees.

Love Not Hate: Welcoming All
Saturday, October 19, 10am - 12pm
City Hall Rose Garden

Live performances by Westlake School for the Performing Arts, Chavalos Danzas por Nicaragua, PBRC Senior Cultural Dance Group and violin by Mikayla Leyson. Community organizations that will be staffing informational booths include Supervisor David J. Canepa's District 5 Office,

San Mateo County Office of Immigrant Services, San Mateo County Census 2020 team, San Mateo County Pride Center, Bay Area United Against Hate, Faith in Action, Santamaria Law Firm, Pilipino Bayanihan Resource Center (PBRC) and Republic Services.

Thank you to our event sponsors: Republic Services & Peninsula Center Dental Implants & Oral Surgery.



Make A Difference Day 2019



Join us for the 21st annual Make A Difference Day - Daly City's largest annual volunteer event! Current projects include native planting at the Otilia Street Native Mini Park and community cleanups at Gellert Park, Westlake Park, Mussel Rock and Top of the Hill. More groups are currently forming.

9am - 12pm: volunteer projects across the city

12pm: volunteer luncheon at City Hall, sponsored and hosted by the Daly City Host Lions Club

More info available at www.dalycity.org/MADD2019.

Kasayahan Sa Daly City



City Manager's Office staff attended the City's annual Filipino-American History Month event in Marchbank Park on Saturday, October 12.



Department of Public Works

Bayshore Shuttle



The Daly City Bayshore Shuttle, in operation since 2014, provides free service between the Bayshore neighborhood and Daly City BART. The shuttle also provides transit connections with SamTrans, Muni and the Daly City & Balboa BART stations. Service starts at 6:00 am and ends at 8:00 pm weekdays. A complete route map and timetable is available online at www.samtrans.com/DCB.

The Shuttle is an essential service to the residents in the Bayshore neighborhood since SamTrans does not provide service to this area. Many residents in the Bayshore rely on public transportation for grocery shopping, doctor appointments and access to the BART Stations. Over the last five years, ridership on the shuttle has grown from 11,750 passengers in 2014 to over 27,000 in 2018. Every two years, staff applies for grants to pay for the shuttle operations. At this time the Bayshore Shuttle is entirely grant funded with funds from the Lifeline Transportation Program and San Mateo Transportation Authority.

Department of Water & Wastewater Resources

Administration



The Vista Grande Project is in the final phases of design, permitting and financing, which all must occur before construction may take place. Led by City Manager Shawna Maltbie, the internal Daly City Vista Grande team of City Attorney Rose Zimmerman, DWWR Director Thomas Piccolotti, Acting Finance Director Todd High and DWWR Manager Joshua Cosgrove is pictured discussing some of the important aspects of the project. When complete, this approximately \$100 million project will

improve the Vista Grande Canal drainage system, provide for increased trash capture, allow better Lake Merced management, increase the size of the tunnel and replace the structure box on the beach below Fort Funston.

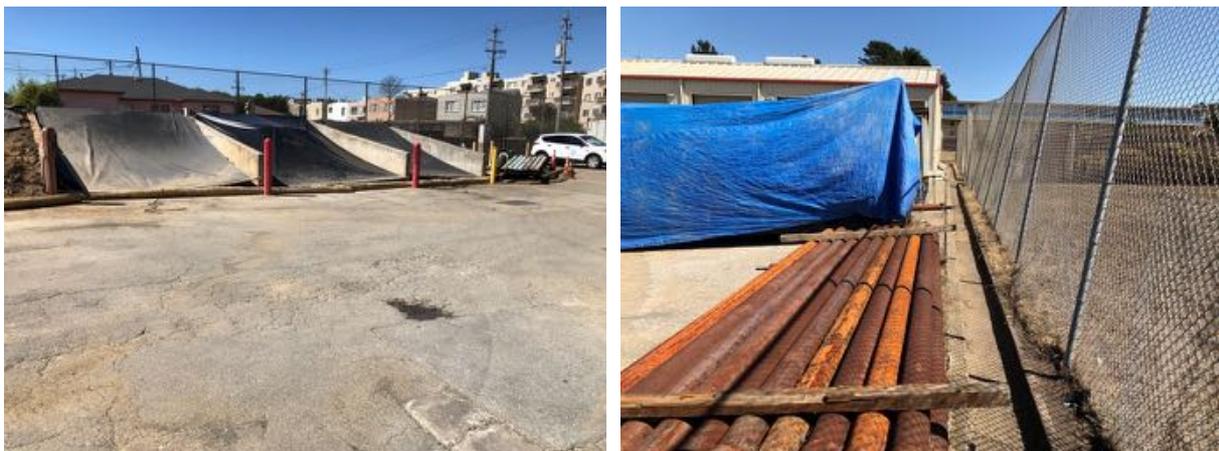


Collection System



While Collection Division staff was televising the sanitary sewer infrastructure as part of the preventive maintenance program, it was discovered that a broken lateral at 247 Woodrow Street was undermining the city's sidewalk and curb. Seepage from the broken lateral was also daylighting on the street surface. Because of a possible sidewalk collapse and to mitigate the sewage flow on the road surface, repairs were made and service restored. The hole was backfilled and the new sidewalk was poured the next day.

Environmental Compliance



Section C.2.f (2) of the stormwater Municipal Regional Permit (MRP) requires that the Westlake Pump Station Yard be fully inspected each year between September 1 and September 30 prior to the start of the rainy season. Staff inspected both Westlake (pictured) and the corporation yard at Citrus/Niantic on September 25 to ensure that non-stormwater discharges are not entering the storm drain system and pollutant discharges are prevented to the maximum extent practicable. Both sites passed inspection and are in compliance with this requirement of the MRP.



Distribution System

Distribution Crews made an emergency water service repair on the unit block of Fairlawn Avenue. The service is on a 2-inch galvanized water main at a depth of about 3 feet. Water was back on within 1.5 hours minimizing the impact on residents. Crews also upgraded the water meter. The area was backfilled then topsoil and grass seed was added to bring the area back to normal.



Operations



Senior Water & Wastewater Operator, Tony Gerace, pictured with Director, Tom Piccolotti, proudly commends and recognizes Tony on his retirement for his nearly 32 years of dedicated service. Tony started in 1988 with the department as a utility worker. He then was promoted to a water operator trainee a year later, and continued to work his way up the ranks to his current position of Senior Operator. Tony is a dedicated professional with the experience and competence that make him one of DWWR's most valuable assets. Tony will be truly missed.



Plant & Equipment Maintenance

Plant and Equipment Maintenance Electrician Mark Blackman is performing some electrical testing to a circuit at the wastewater treatment plant. Our electricians perform hundreds of preventative and corrective work orders each year to the electrical systems and equipment at the water and wastewater facilities. Much of our equipment ages rapidly due to the corrosive atmosphere of the Pacific Ocean and the maintenance requirements of our electrical systems are particularly important.



North County Fire Authority (NCFA)

Structure Fire



NCFA responded to a structure fire on the 4000 block of Callan Blvd on October 1. Crews were able to contain the fire. No injuries to fire personnel or residents were sustained.

Annual Day in the Park

On October 5, NCFA attended the Annual Day in The Park where they taught members of the community about fire safety and Hands Only CPR.



Vehicle and Vegetation Fire



On October 5, NCFCA responded to a vehicle fire that extended into vegetation southbound on Highway 101.

Kings Fire on San Bruno Mountain

NCFCA units were first on scene for the grassfire atop San Bruno mountain, later named “Kings Fire,” on October 10. It burned 11 acres (about 8 football fields) and was quickly contained due to the joint efforts of NCFCA & Cal Fire firefighters that came from as far as Santa Cruz County. We all worked together extremely quickly to form two firebreaks which prevented the fire from spreading. Two engines remained on-site through the night to patrol the area. There were no injuries to firefighters and no structures were affected from the fire. The cause of the fire is still under investigation by Cal Fire.



Fire Service Day



Fire Prevention Week culminated in Fire Service Day on October 12. The Open House Event welcomed several members of the community and their children into NCFCA’s fire stations across the three cities. Fire Prevention Inspectors were on-hand to teach the public about fire safety and emergency preparedness. Firefighters gave demonstrations

and tours of fire apparatus and the station. In addition, NCFCA, in partnership with San Mateo County Health, hosted a successful FREE Flu Vaccine Clinic.



Police Department

The Police Department responds to an array of incidences and crime in Daly City. This section will highlight only some of the most notable, recent cases. Did you know that PD publishes the *Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin* online each week? Past issues are available on the PD website and are regularly posted to NextDoor.

Coffee with a Cop!

On Wednesday, October 2, Daly City Police Officers participated in the National Coffee with a Cop event. Officers were at local coffee shops interacting with members of the community and store employees. Officer Ortiz had the chance to learn the challenges of making coffee drinks with a growing line of people! This was a great opportunity to exchange information, create relationships and humanize the police officer behind the uniform.



Daly City Explorer Badge Pinning

On Wednesday, October 2, nine Daly City Police Explorers were pinned with a badge and recited the oath to uphold the mission and professionalism standards of the Daly City Police Department. The ceremony was conducted in the Council Chambers amongst family, friends and City officials. Our explorers are critical to police operations, as they function in a support role during events, and they connect with our community members!



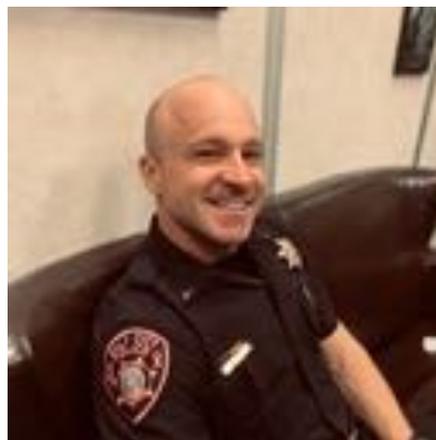
Police Department Records Supervisor Vicki Brodrick – Retirement Luncheon

On Thursday, October 3, police command and professional staff took Vicki Brodrick out for a well-deserved retirement luncheon at Nick’s Rockaway restaurant in Pacifica. Vicki has been with the police department as our Records Supervisor since 2002. She is an amazing person with a caring heart who is supportive of all within the Department. She makes sure to say hello to everyone in the office every morning, and you can be sure that she will not let you hide on your birthday. She has one of the most critical positions within the department as the custodian of all records. Current, and ever-increasing legislative mandates have made this position very challenging. Her personality, knowledge and professional abilities will be truly missed! Best of luck in retirement!



Pink Patch Project 2019 – October Breast Cancer Awareness Month

For the month of October, Daly City Officers are authorized to wear the pink Daly City Police patches on their uniform in support of breast cancer awareness month. The patches are also for sale to the public for \$10 through the Police Officers Association. All proceeds will be donated to the Susan G. Komen foundation.



DUI Crash Arrest!



On Wednesday, October 9, officers were dispatched to Serramonte and Gellert on the report of a traffic collision. Investigation revealed that the driver at fault was driving while intoxicated and struck multiple vehicles waiting at the intersection. In total there were 3 injured, to include the suspect, who rolled their car. The victim injuries were not significant, but the suspect was transported to a trauma center for evaluation. Officers obtained a search warrant to draw blood for a chemical test in relation to the alcohol intoxication. Once cleared from the hospital, the suspect driver was booked into jail for a felony DUI with a collision.

Active Threat Training

This quarter, all Daly City officers are going through an active threat/shooter training course. Department trainers spend time discussing tactics and considerations in the morning, and then officers spend the remainder of the day participating in scenarios designed to test and improve their abilities. Officers use real firearms that shoot Simunition training rounds. The paint marking rounds are intended to provide instant feedback.



Department of Library & Recreation Services

Libraries in Pursuit of eBooks for All



On July 25, Macmillan Publishing announced it would become the only of the big five publishers to limit eBook lending for U.S. libraries. Under its new licensing model, scheduled to begin November 1, 2019, a library may purchase one copy upon release of a new title in eBook format, after which the publisher will impose an

eight-week embargo on additional copies of that title sold to libraries.

As American Library Association President Wanda Brown asserted that same day, “Macmillan Publishers’ new model for library eBook lending will make it difficult for libraries to fulfill our central mission: ensuring access to information for all. Macmillan’s new policy is unacceptable.” Public Library Association President Ramiro Salazar stated, “Access to digital content in libraries is more than a financial issue: it is an equity issue. We encourage Macmillan Publishers to reverse course before libraries and the people they serve are harmed.”

Millions of people now use digital content as their preferred or only access to books, music, and movies. Digital content is portable, accessible to people with print disabilities, available anywhere 24/7, and brokered by libraries to provide diverse options to our diverse communities. Libraries not only pay for books; they market them. Lost marketing means lost publicity and sales for publishers and authors.

The Daly City Public Library, along with the Peninsula Library System and the American Library Association, oppose this new licensing model and urge our patrons and supporters to sign the petition at ebooksforall.org.

Pssst! It's Pilipinx Lit Night at the library!



On Wednesday, October 9, John Daly Library hosted a literary event, “Pssst! It's Pilipinx Lit Night,” in partnership with San Mateo County Poet Laureate Aileen Cassinetta. In celebration of Filipino-American History Month, the night highlighted local Pilipinx-American writers as well as some of Cassinetta’s Pilipinx colleagues from around the world.

The writers and artists in attendance included Abigail Licad, whose work has been featured in the SF Chronicle and the LA Times; Meghan Pama, a Jefferson High School student and a current Daly City Police Explorer; Rashaan Alexis Meneses, who was recently awarded a 2018 Author Fellowship from Martha’s Vineyard Institute of Creative



Writing; Walter Ang, who is currently writes about Filipino-American theater for Filipino news site Inquirer.net; Beverly Parayno, a fiction, memoir and essay writer who also serves on the board of directors for the Philippine American Writers and Artists; Ivy Alvarez, whose work has been adapted into a musical Disturbance; and Reme Grefalda, a founding curator for the Asian-American and Pacific Islander Collection at the Library of Congress in Washington, DC.

The event was met with praise and excitement, with around 50 guests in attendance. Among the attendees were members of the Library Board of Trustees, the Daly City Public Library Associates, and Daly City Councilmembers Pamela DiGiovanni and Juslyn Manalo.

Fil-Am Stars Shine at Kasayahan Sa Daly City



Hundreds of community members descended on Marchbank Park on Saturday, October 12, to soak in the sunshine and culture at the third installment of Kasayahan Sa Daly City. Six food trucks offered a variety of both traditional and contemporary takes on Filipino cuisine and desserts. Gilman Brewing teamed up with Daly City Baseball Association to serve local beer to a thirsty crowd.

One Vo1ce was a clear crowd favorite, though Gabe Bondoc (pictured) drew quite a few folks to the stage for his set. There is no rest for the Kasayahan planning committee. They will convene next week to begin planning the 2020 event!

Upcoming Community Events

Friday, October 25 – **Haunted Pool** – Giammona Pool – 6:30 to 9:00pm

Friday, November 1 – **Trunk or Treat** – Westlake Park – 6:00 to 9:00pm

Department of Human Resources

Recruitment and Retention Efforts

During this period staff administered the following examinations:

1. Network Administrator Interviews
2. Account Clerk I/II Written Exam

New Hire



*Rayleen Perez, Police
Records Clerk I*



Training and Development

Employees participated in the following trainings:

- October 3: Strategic Change Management
- October 10: Technology & Employee Privacy Events

Events

Kasayahan Sa Daly City



On Saturday, October 12, the City of Daly City celebrated Filipino American History Month at Marchbank Park.

Employee Wellness

Flu Shots

Provided by: Kaiser Permanente



- Who:** All Employees
When: Thursday, October 17, 2019
9:00am — 11:00am
Where: Training Room
Cost: FREE for the first 40 Employees
(Employees do not need to be Kaiser members)

Please RSVP by **5:00pm on Tuesday, October 15th**
with Karen at: kfong@dalycity.org or x8728

Please ensure to complete the Consent/Declination
Form on-site prior to your shot



Upcoming Events

October 24 — 11th Annual Employee Service Award BBQ

October 31 — 1st Annual Employee Halloween Extravaganza

**11th Annual
Employee Service
Award BBQ**

Thursday, October 24, 2019
City Hall Plaza
11:30am — 1:30pm

BurgerMeister
HAMBURGERS
A Taste You Can Trust

NOTHING bundt CAKES

• RSVP on Fognet @ x8028

**1st ANNUAL EMPLOYEE
HALLOWEEN
EXTRAVAGANZA**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2019
CITY HALL ROTUNDA
1:00PM – 2:30PM

COME AND SHOW OFF YOUR BEST COSTUME!

CONTEST:

- BEST DEPARTMENT
- BEST PAIR/GROUP
- BEST SOLO
- OVERALL BEST IN SHOW

JUDGED BY: COUNCILMEMBERS

ENJOY:

- SNACKS
- GAMES
- PHOTO BOOTH

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