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From the **COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

The Community Services Department is now located in the Lawndale Community Center located at 14700 Burin Avenue and can be reached by calling **(310) 973-3270** during normal operating hours. See back cover for the Center's Operating Hours.

Class and Program Registration Information

Registrations for the following classes and programs begin December 10, 2012, and are taken exclusively at the Lawndale Community Center on a walk-in basis. Program registration hours and acceptable forms of payment are accepted as follows:

- Monday - Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – Cash, personal checks, money orders, cashier's checks, credit and debit cards.
- Monday - Thursday, 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. – Credit and debit cards only.
- Fridays, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. – Credit and debit cards only.
- Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. – Credit and debit cards only.

Registration for classes and programs can also be completed 24/7 online at www.lawndalecity.org. Please be aware that there is a service charge when registering online. More registration and program information can be obtained by contacting the Community Services Department at (310) 973-3270 during normal operating hours.

Winter Activities, Classes and Programs

ART

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
990	Fine Arts	January 8 - March 19*	Tuesday	5:45 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.	8 +	\$80	CC MR 1	J. Talbott
989	Paper Mache and Clay	January 10 - March 21+	Thursday	5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.	10 +	\$80	CC MR 1	J. Talbott
992	Master's Art with Studio Time	January 12 - March 23#	Saturday	10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	13 +	\$100	CC MR 1	J. Talbott
993	Fine Arts with Jane	January 12 - March 23#	Saturday	12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.	6 +	\$80	CC MR 1	J. Talbott

*No class on 3/12/13; +No class on 3/14/13; #No class on 3/16/13
See page 5 for Materials Fee.



DANCE (CULTURAL)

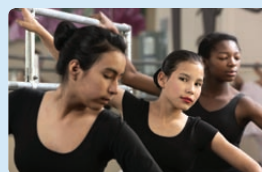
Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
1096	Mexican Folklore for Beginners Session I	January 7 - February 4+	Monday/ Wednesday	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	4 +	\$25	CC DR	M. Alvarez
1103	Mexican Folklore for Intermediate - Session I	January 7 - February 4+	Monday/ Wednesday	7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	10 +	\$25	CC DR	M. Alvarez
1102	Mexican Folklore for Beginners Session II	February 6 - March 6#	Monday/ Wednesday	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	4 +	\$25	CC DR	M. Alvarez
1104	Mexican Folklore for Intermediate - Session II	February 6 - March 6#	Monday/ Wednesday	7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	10 +	\$25	CC DR	M. Alvarez
1109	Multicultural Line Dance Session I	January 7 - February 11+	Monday	6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	18 +	\$25	CC MER B	R. Cook
1107	Multicultural Line Dance Session IA	January 12 - February 9	Saturday	11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	18 +	\$25	CC DR	R. Cook
1108	Multicultural Line Dance Session IIA	February 23 - March 23	Saturday	11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	18 +	\$25	CC DR	R. Cook
1110	Multicultural Line Dance Session II	February 25 - March 25	Monday	6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	18 +	\$25	CC MER B	R. Cook

+No class on 1/21/13; #No class on 2/18/13

DANCE (PERFORMANCE)

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
1023	Beginning Ballet	February 5 - March 26	Tuesday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	4 - 7	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1024	Pop Star Hip Hop	February 5 - March 26	Tuesday	5:45 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	5 - 9	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1025	Beginning Hip Hop	February 5 - March 26	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.	6 - 11	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1026	Jazz, Ballet and Tumbling Combo	February 6 - March 27	Wednesday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	3 - 5	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1027	Tot Hip Hop	February 6 - March 27	Wednesday	5:45 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	4 - 7	\$65	CC MER B	OCDP
1028	Hip Hop	February 6 - March 27	Wednesday	6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.	6 - 10	\$65	CC MER B	OCDP
1029	Princess Ballet*	February 7 - March 28	Thursday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	3 - 5	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1030	Tap, Jazz and Ballet Combo	February 7 - March 28	Thursday	5:50 p.m. - 6:35 p.m.	3 - 6	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1031	Tap, Jazz and Ballet Combo	February 7 - March 28	Thursday	6:40 p.m. - 7:25 p.m.	6 - 10	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1032	Parent and Me Princess Ballet*	February 9 - March 30	Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	1.5 - 4	\$65	CC DR	OCDP
1120	Tap, Jazz and Ballet Combo	February 9 - March 30	Saturday	10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	3 - 6	\$65	CC DR	OCDP

*See page 5 for Materials Fee.



DANCE (FITNESS)

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
994	Zumba	January 10 - March 7*	Thursday	9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	18 +	\$50	CC MER B	L. Suarez
995	Zumba	January 10 - March 7*	Thursday	7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	13 +	\$50	CC MER B	L. Suarez
986	Zumba	January 12 - March 9 [#]	Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	13 +	\$55	CC MER B	Just Dance

*No class on 2/28/13; [#]No class 1/19/13

GYMNASTICS

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
975	Gym Babies/Gym Tots	January 8 - March 12	Tuesday	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	1.5 - 5	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
977	Gym Kids Beginner/Intermediate	January 8 - March 12	Tuesday	5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	5 - 7	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
979	Gym Juniors/Gym Club Intermediate/ Advanced	January 8 - March 12	Tuesday	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	7 - 13	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
976	Gym Babies/Gym Tots	January 10 - March 14	Thursday	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	1.5 - 5	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
978	Gym Kids Intermediate/Advanced	January 10 - March 14	Thursday	5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	5 - 7	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
980	Gym Juniors/Gym Club Beginner/Intermediate	January 10 - March 14	Thursday	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	7 - 13	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
981	Gym Babies/Gym Tots	January 12 - March 30*	Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	1.5 - 5	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
1105	Gym Kids	January 12 - April 6 ⁺	Saturday	11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	5 - 7	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance
985	Gym Juniors/Gym Club	January 12 - April 6 ⁺	Saturday	12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	1.5 - 5	\$65	CC MER A	Just Dance

*No class on 1/19/13 and 3/16/13; ⁺No class on 2/23/13 and 3/16/13.

GAME ROOM DROP-IN

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
N/A	Open Game Room	Ongoing	Tue/Thurs	3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	13 - 17	None	CC MR 1	None
N/A	Open Game Room	Ongoing	Tue/Thurs	8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Any	None	CC MR 1	None

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HEALTH EDUCATION

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
1085	Preparation for Childbirth Session I	January 12 - February 9	Saturday	10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	N/A	\$95*	CC MR 2	M. Stelter
966	No More Side Effects Natural Alternatives to Health	January 28 - February 11	Monday	7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	16 +	\$20	CC MR 1	H. Smith
1086	Preparation for Childbirth Session II	February 16 - March 16	Saturday	10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	N/A	\$95*	CC MR 2	M. Stelter
967	Natural Beauty	February 27 - March 13	Wednesday	7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	16 +	\$25	CC MR 1	H. Smith

*Per Couple. See page 5 for Materials Fee.

MARTIAL ARTS

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
1012	Little Dragons A - Session I	January 7 - February 11*	Monday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$25	CC MR	J. Duncan
1114	Little Dragons C - Session I	January 7 - February 13*	Mon/Wed	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$44	CC MR	J. Duncan
1019	Soo Bahk Do - Session I	January 7 - February 13*	Mon/Wed	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	12 +	\$44	CC MR	J. Duncan
1015	Little Dragons B - Session I	January 9 - February 13	Wednesday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$30	CC MR	J. Duncan
1115	Little Dragons C - Session II	February 20 - March 27	Mon/Wed	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$44	CC MR	J. Duncan
1013	Little Dragons A - Session II	February 25 - March 25	Monday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$25	CC MR	J. Duncan
1020	Soo Bahk Do - Session II	February 20 - March 27	Mon/Wed	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	12 +	\$44	CC MR	J. Duncan
1016	Little Dragons B - Session II	February 20 - March 27	Wednesday	5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	5 - 11	\$30	CC MR	J. Duncan

*No class on 1/21/13. See page 5 for Materials Fee.

YOUTH TEAM SPORTS

Coming Soon! Spring Soccer for ages 5 - 17 starts in March. Don't miss out! Contact the Community Services Department for registration information.



MUSIC INSTRUCTION

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
1000	Musicstar Kids/Toddlers Session I	January 8 - February 12	Tuesday	9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	6 mos - 3	\$66	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1002	Musicstar Kids - Young Explorers - Session I	January 8 - February 12	Tuesday	10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	3 - 5	\$66	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1007	Musicstar Guitar	January 15 - March 5	Tuesday	3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	7 - 16	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1009	Musicstar Keyboard	January 15 - March 5	Tuesday	4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.	7 - 17	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1091	Musicstar Keyboard	January 15 - March 5	Tuesday	5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.	18 +	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1089	Musicstar Guitar	January 15 - March 5	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.	18 +	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1004	Musicstar Voice	January 17 - March 7	Thursday	3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	6 - 12	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1005	Musicstar Voice	January 17 - March 7	Thursday	4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.	13-17	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1087	Musicstar Voice	January 17 - March 7	Thursday	5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.	18 +	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1088	Musicstar Drumworks Hand Drumming	January 17 - March 7	Thursday	6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.	16 +	\$88	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1001	Musicstar Kids/Toddlers Session II	February 19 - March 26	Tuesday	9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	6 mos - 3	\$66	CC MR 2	Musicstar
1003	Musicstar Kids - Young Explorers - Session II	February 19 - March 26	Tuesday	10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	3 - 5	\$66	CC MR 2	Musicstar

See page 5 for Materials Fee.

HOMWORK CLUB

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
N/A	Homework Club	School Days Only	Mon/Wed	3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	K - 8	None	CC MR 2	CSD Staff

YOGA

Act. #	Class Name	Dates	Day	Time	Ages	Fee	Location	Instructor
973	Beginning Yoga and Stretch Session I	January 8 - February 26	Tuesday	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	16 +	\$65	CC MER B	C. Broome
1037	Beginning Yoga and Stretch Session II	January 10 - February 28	Thursday	7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	18 +	\$65	CC DR	C. Broome

MATERIALS FEE (Due first class meeting - Cash only please)

Act. #	Class Name	Fee	Materials
1029	Princess Ballet	\$10	Craft Supplies
1032	Parent and Me Princess Ballet	\$10	Craft Supplies
Various	Little Dragons (ALL)	\$35	Uniform
Various	Musicstar (ALL)	\$20	Textbook
990	Fine Arts	\$35	Art Supplies
989	Paper Mache and Clay	\$30	Art Supplies
992	Master's Art with Studio Time	\$40	Art Supplies
993	Fine Arts with Jane	\$40	Art Supplies
Various	Preparation for Childbirth (ALL)	\$10*	Textbook
966	Natural Alternatives to Health	\$12	Product Supplies
967	Natural Beauty	\$20	Product Supplies

*Per couple fee.

Lawndale Community Center Wins Prestigious Award

Recently, the new Lawndale Community Center won the American Public Works Association 2012 Project of the Year in the Recreation Facilities category. The unique aspects of the community center and the manner in which the facility has significantly enriched the quality of life for those in the community were key contributing factors to receiving the award. The center's designation as a Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Silver Certified state-of-the-art and energy efficient facility includes drought resistant landscaping, low water use plumbing fixtures, energy efficient air conditioning system, highly reflective "cool roof" roofing membrane, low energy lighting and use of natural day lighting were contributing factors as well. And finally, the center was constructed using low-emitting materials with minimal Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) such as: adhesives and sealants, paints and coatings, carpet systems and composite wood and agrifiber products and 75% of the materials removed from the construction site were recycled and diverted from disposal.



CLASS LOCATIONS LEGEND

Location	Legend
CC MR 1	Community Center Meeting Room 1 - Second Floor
CC MR 2	Community Center Meeting Room 2 - Second Floor
CC MR	Community Center Meeting Room - Second Floor
CC DR	Community Center Dance Room - Second Floor
CC MER A	Community Center Main Event Room A - Third Floor
CC MER B	Community Center Main Event Room B - Third Floor
BG	Bollinger Gymnasium - 4040 W. 154 th Street

Are You Planning an Event? Have it in Lawndale

The Lawndale Community Center has four state-of-the-art rooms that are available for reservation for private functions. Whether you are having a birthday party, baby shower, wedding reception, business meeting, family gathering, or any other event for that matter, the Lawndale Community Center has a room that is made for your event. The following spaces are available for reservation for large and small groups:

- Full Main Event Room – 3,700 Square Feet
- Half Main Event Room – 1,850 Square Feet
- Kitchen – 800 Square Feet (only available with Main Event Room reservation)
- Full Meeting Room – 1,780 Square Feet
- Half Meeting Room – 890 Square Feet

For more details, such as room availability and pricing, contact the Community Services Department at (310) 973-3270. Or, visit the City's website at www.lawndalecity.org, and go to Government, Departments, Community Services, Facilities Rental and click on the Facility Rental and Deposit Fee Schedule to get all of the room and pricing details.



Meeting Room



Main Event Room

Are You Ready for a Parade?

The Lawndale Youth Day Parade will march through the streets of Lawndale on Saturday, April 27, 2013, beginning at 10:00 a.m. There will be plenty of fun and lots of pirates! We are searching for school groups, community groups, marching bands, drill teams, cheerleader squads, drum lines, classic car clubs and cars (pre-1970), non-profit organizations, local businesses, sports teams and other fun groups interested in participating. Registration is free and easy! To access registration paperwork and other related information, please visit the Youth Day Parade web page located on the City's home page at www.lawndalecity.org, or go to www.lawndalecity.org, Departments, Community Services, 2013 Youth Day Parade. For more information, please contact the Community Services Department at (310) 973-3270, or via email at mestes@lawndalecity.org.



Do You Need a Special Event Permit? Take the Time to Find Out.

The City of Lawndale has a special event permit approval process for residents and business owners planning events that take place wholly or partially within the city boundaries which attract a substantial amount of people during any twenty-four hour period, and/or affect the public right of way. A special event can be defined as a commercial or non-commercial event organized by for profit or non-profit organizations held on private or City property. Examples of events that require a permit, but not limited to, are amusement attractions, athletic events, carnivals, circuses, concerts, exhibitions, fairs, fireworks displays, parades, fund-raising events, sidewalk sales, media events, etc.

If you are a resident or a business owner in Lawndale planning such an event, a special event permit may be required. If you are not sure if you need a special event permit, please be sure to contact the Community Services Department at (310) 973-3270, or email mestes@lawndalecity.org to find out. There is no fee to apply, however, if city resources are needed to ensure the event's safety, fees may be applied, or additional permits may be required depending upon the nature of the event. Applications can be obtained from the City's website at www.lawndalecity.org, City Hall Online, Forms link. Hard copy applications may also be obtained by visiting the Community Services Department.

2013 City-Wide Special Events Calendar

March

Clean Up Week
Clean Up Day
Easter Egg Hunt

April

Youth Day Parade

May

Memorial Day Ceremony

June

Health and Safety Fair

September

1st Annual Blues and Jazz Music Festival

October

Halloween Haunt

November

Angel Tree Lighting Event

Actual dates to be determined and released in spring newsletter. Events are subject to change.



USDA Free Food Program

The City of Lawndale Free Food Program is open to people of all ages who qualify that are in need of food. The food is supplied by the Food Bank of Southern California and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). The food bank obtains and distributes donations of nutritious food that the City of Lawndale picks up from the warehouse, packs, and distributes weekly. The food received each week varies and oftentimes consists of canned goods and some type of fresh produce.

Food Distribution Information:

Food distribution is located at the City's Community Center, located at 14700 Burin Avenue, in the third floor Main Event Room. Food is distributed every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. on a first, come, first served basis to those who qualify until all food is gone. Lines to obtain food form early. Those obtaining food must provide signature confirming that EFAP guidelines are met. For more information, please contact the Community Services Department office at (310) 973-3270.

Register for Classes and Programs Anytime

The Community Services Department now accepts program and class registrations online, 24 hours a day and seven days a week. You can now register for Community Service Department programs from the comfort of your own home. With just a few clicks you can: open an account; register for activities, print receipts, sign up for email notifications, and enjoy many more of the other benefits. Registering for programs has become faster, easier, more convenient and secure. Save time and gas and spend time doing other things by registering for programs online. To register for classes and programs online, please visit www.lawndalecity.org and click on the "Register Online Go!" button. Please be aware that a service charge is applied when registering online.

Have You Heard About the Lawndale Travel Club?

The Lawndale Travel Club is for seniors who are at least 50 years of age. The club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers located inside of City Hall. Each month the club takes one day trip, and on alternating months, the club takes one three day-two night casino trip. To find out about becoming a member, please attend a monthly membership meeting. The club meets the third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chamber.

Looking for Senior Programs and Activities?

Visit the Senior Services web page at Departments, Community Services, Senior Services, or access the Senior Post by making one more click Senior Post. Hard copies of the Senior Post can also be picked up at the Community Services Department building, however, availability is limited.



Have You Missed a Lawndalian?

Back issues can be accessed online at www.lawndalecity.org, Quick Links, Lawndalian

COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS

Lawndale Certified Farmer's Market

Did you know that Lawndale has its own certified Farmer's Market? Why travel when you can buy your organic fruits and vegetables right here in Lawndale from friendly farmers for reasonable prices? When you purchase food at Lawndale's Certified Farmer's Market, you are supporting "green" and "healthy" living.



The Lawndale Certified Farmer's Market operates each and every Wednesday from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Lawndale Civic Center Plaza on the lawn of the Lawndale Library and in front of City Hall. In case you have never been to Lawndale's Farmer's Market, you can find it at 14615 Burin Avenue near the intersection of Burin Avenue and 147th Street, just one block west of Hawthorne Boulevard.

The Lawndale Farmer's Market also provides good food prepared right on the spot while you wait. So, if you are interested in good food and good company, visit Lawndale's Certified Farmer's Market on any Wednesday. You won't be disappointed! If you are worried about it being too dark, don't worry the market will be well lit with temporary lighting to fill the void. The market will be closed in December and will re-open January 3. The market now accepts Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT).

Lawndale CityTV Moves To Channel 3

There have been big changes in both technology and state law that affect how and where residents can watch local television made especially for Lawndale. Lawndale's television channel is changing its name to Lawndale CityTV to better serve all viewers. To make things simpler, now you will find **Lawndale CityTV on Channel 3 in both the Time Warner Cable and the Verizon FiOS cable systems.** We'll still bring you all the great local programs that you expect, such as Council Meetings, high school sports and great community programming. Also, the Lawndale Community Television Bulletin Board is getting its own 24/7 channel. Now you will also be able to view important messages and information about the City and other community events and programs on Channel 22 in the Time Warner cable system, and on Channel 29 in the Verizon FiOS cable system. As times change you can count on Lawndale CityTV to be there for you.



Billy Mitchell Elementary School Receives Honors



The Alliance for a Healthier Generation, founded by the American Heart Association and the William J. Clinton Foundation, has recognized Billy Mitchell Elementary for transforming its campus into a healthy place for students and staff. To earn the National Recognition Award, the school improved its nutrition services and physical activity programs to meet or exceed stringent standards set by the Alliance for a Healthier Generation's Healthy Schools Program.

The Healthy Schools Program provides expert advice and resources at no cost to more than 15,000 schools nationwide to help them reverse the childhood obesity epidemic. Schools are eligible for Bronze, Silver, or Gold National Recognition Awards based on their level of achievement. Billy Mitchell is one of more than 250 schools from around the country being honored at the Healthy Schools Program Forum in Little Rock, Ark. As a recipient of the Silver National Recognition Award, the school has created a program where staff, students, parents, and the community participate in activities that will form lifelong changes for health and wellbeing.

Three Good Reasons to Prepare for Cooler Weather

As temperatures cool down this winter, the South Bay Environmental Services Center (SBESC) and Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) are advising customers to inspect their home-heating appliances and perform any necessary maintenance to avoid any potential health or safety hazards.

Reason #1: It's for Safety: Now is the time to perform maintenance on home-heating appliances to check that they can be operated safely and efficiently. Heating appliances should be serviced annually to keep them operating safely and efficiently. A licensed heating contractor or SoCalGas can provide this service.

Reason #2: It's for Health: Failure to perform annual maintenance on gas appliances may result in exposure to carbon monoxide, which can cause nausea, drowsiness, flu-like symptoms, and even death.

Reason #3: It Saves Money: Since home heating typically accounts for more than half of the monthly winter gas bill, the best way to keep bills lower is to get gas appliances serviced.

For more information on furnace safety, visit SoCalGas' website at socialgas.com (search "FURNACE SAFETY"). For other energy saving information, contact the South Bay Environmental Services Center (SBESC) at (310) 371-7222 and ask about our programs, or visit the center's website at www.sbesc.com.

Don't Fight – Get Help!

Residents of Lawndale often visit City Hall seeking assistance to resolve various disputes or disagreements they are having. These involve neighbors complaining about common fences, trees overgrowing property lines, loud parties and new construction, landlords and tenants disputing security deposits, maintenance issues, rent increases and evictions, consumers and merchants arguing about the quality of products or services, and homeowner associations haggling over the use of common areas, noise and parking issues. In many, if not most of these cases, City staff including the Sheriff, code enforcement and community service officers, do not have the authority to intervene since typically these disputes are of a civil nature and may not involve a violation of the Municipal Code or State law. However, there is a way that you can get help.



The City of Lawndale has contracted with the South Bay Center for Dispute Resolution (SBCDR) to assist in the resolution of these types of disputes through mediation with the help of trained professional neutrals called mediators. In the vast majority of these situations, mediation allows the parties to fashion a resolution that is convenient, effective and tailored to meet their needs and address their concerns. SBCDR services are available at no cost to residents, businesses, landlords and tenants.

SBCDR has been able to resolve countless issues in Lawndale and can do the same for you. So instead of feuding, contact SBCDR. Bilingual mediators are also available. To take action, call (310) 376-7007, or visit our website at www.sbcd.net.

From the PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

The Public Works Department is located at 4722 Manhattan Beach Boulevard and can be reached by calling **(310) 973-3260** on Monday thru Thursday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Winter 2013 Capital Improvements Program Update

The Public Works Department is pleased to provide you with this status report regarding the City's Capital Improvement Program (CIP). There are five categories of CIP projects which include: 1) street improvements; 2) concrete improvements (sidewalk, curb and gutter); 3) traffic improvements; 4) park improvements; and 5) city facilities improvements. A number of projects are currently under construction or in the planning and design phase.

CURRENT PROJECTS

Firmona Avenue Storm Drain Improvement Project – The project area is located along Firmona Avenue between Manhattan Beach Boulevard and 162nd Street. This project will improve the storm drain system along Firmona Avenue and relieve the flooding that typically occurs on Firmona Avenue and its adjacent streets during rains. The Los Angeles County Department of Public Works was contracted to provide the design and preparation of the construction documents for bid purposes. Construction is expected to be completed in the spring of 2013. The project is funded through an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) grant, Proposition 1B funding and general fund dollars.

Prairie Avenue Resurfacing Project – The City entered into a joint powers agreement with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works (LACDPW) to resurface the deteriorated roadway along Prairie Avenue just south of Marine Avenue to Redondo Beach Boulevard. LACDPW is the lead agency for the project. Construction recently started and is expected to be completed this winter. The project is funded through Proposition C funds, a Highway Thru Cities grant, and Metro Surface Transportation funds.

Manhattan Beach Boulevard and Firmona Avenue Traffic Signal Modification Project – The City has received a California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) grant to modify the traffic signal at the subject intersection. This modification will improve traffic safety for vehicles traveling westbound as they turn south onto Firmona Avenue by incorporating a protected left turn green arrow. The project is currently in the final design phase and construction is estimated to start in the spring. The project is funded through the federal Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP).

Hawthorne Boulevard Concrete Improvements – The project will address areas of needed improvement along Hawthorne Boulevard within city limits which includes sidewalk and brick ribbon improvements. The improvements will include a combination of grinding and removal and/or replacement of specific sidewalk locations. Construction is expected to begin in the spring.

COMPLETED PROJECTS:

145th Street and Manhattan Beach Boulevard South Alley Project – The project repaved 145th Street between Hawthorne Boulevard and Larch Avenue, and re-constructed the alleyway south of Manhattan Beach Boulevard between Freeman and Prairie Avenues. The project included the reconstruction of pavement, segments of curb and gutter, the repair of driveway approaches and sidewalk, and roadway striping. Project construction commenced in September and was completed in October and was funded through Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds.

Hawthorne Boulevard Roadway Rehabilitation – The project resurfaced the southbound lanes of Hawthorne Boulevard from between just south of 154th Street to 147th Street. The work consisted of asphalt grinding with an asphalt overlay, re-installation of the traffic detector loops and roadway striping. Construction started May 2012 and completed June 2012. The project was funded by Proposition C funds.

ARRA HVAC Upgrades – As part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), the California Energy Commission (CEC) administered an Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) program to help small cities and counties complete cost effective energy efficiency projects. Through this program, the City of Lawndale was able to upgrade the heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) system at the Community Services/Municipal Services building located at the Civic Center. The upgrades have already demonstrated reduced energy usage, which has resulted in lower costs for the City, and has contributed to reducing the City's carbon footprint.

Jane Addams Wading Pool Project – The project was comprised of the installation of a new pool surface and modifications to the drainage system. The plans have been reviewed and approved by the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services and funded with General Fund dollars. Hundreds of children enjoyed the pool and the recent improvements this past summer.

Street Sweeping News: There will be no street sweeping on the following dates: December 25, January 1, January 21 and February 18.

Recycle and Save \$

Did you know that you can potentially reduce the cost of your trash bill through recycling? For the past two years, the City's trash hauler Consolidated Disposal Service (CDS) has successfully implemented a volume-based trash system and residents pay according to the size of their black trash cart. The idea is simple: by putting recyclables in your blue cart instead of your black trash cart, you can decrease the amount you dispose in your black trash cart. When you dispose less waste, you may be able to decrease the size of your trash cart and your monthly cost. You have three options for trash carts: 35-gallon, 64-gallon and 96-gallon. If you downsize from a 96-gallon cart to a 35-gallon cart, you can save \$99 per year! If you would like to switch to a smaller trash cart and save money, call the CDS Customer Service Department at (800) 299-4898. If you are 65 years of age or older you may be eligible for a 15% discount on all refuse services. In the meantime, fill up that blue cart with recyclable materials.

RECYCLING NEWS

Recycling Tips – Keep it Clean

Shredded Paper: If you recycle shredded paper, put it into a paper bag and label the bag "Shredded Paper" so it can easily be found and moved to the proper recycling location. Loose shredded paper can contaminate other recyclable commodities.

Be Loose: Place your recyclable containers LOOSELY in your blue recycling cart. Do not bundle them in bags and please remember to empty your plastic milk jugs, soda bottles, and other recyclable containers before recycling. Liquids left in the containers can potentially contaminate the other recyclables.

Plastic Bags: If you have numerous empty plastic bags, please put them all in one plastic bag so they can be recycled quickly and properly.

Please do NOT recycle the following items:

Garden Hoses: Garden hoses can jam the sorting lines and conveyor belts, which slows down the processing speed. Please throw garden hoses in the trash.

Clothing: Donate your clothes to the Salvation Army or cut them into squares to use as rags.

Styrofoam: Please throw in the trash. Most recycling facilities do not accept these materials for recycling.

New Law Requires Multi-Family Complexes and Businesses to Recycle

In October of 2011, Governor Brown signed into law Assembly Bill 341 (AB 341) which requires businesses that generate four or more cubic yards of solid waste per week, and multi-family complexes consisting of five or more dwelling units have a recycling program in place on and after July 1, 2012. For additional information on the requirements of AB 341 please visit: <http://www.cal-recycle.ca.gov/climate/recycling/faq.htm>. According to AB 341, businesses and multi-family complexes can comply with this law by taking the following actions:

- (1) Source separate recyclable materials from solid waste and subscribe to a basic level of recycling service that includes collection, self-hauling, or other arrangements for the pickup of the recyclable materials. Source separated refers to a collection system where the customer separates recyclables from trash in two separate containers.
- (2) Subscribe to a recycling service that may include mixed waste processing that yields diversion results comparable to source separation. Mixed waste processing is the method of separating recyclables from trash at a facility; the customer deposits all material (trash and recyclables) in one container.

Multi-family complexes and businesses located within the City of Lawndale receive mixed waste processing recycling service, and therefore, are in compliance with the law. However, if you would like to take that extra step and have source-separated recycling service, the City's franchised hauler, Consolidated Disposal Service (CDS), offers this service to businesses and multi-family complexes. The amount of recyclables generated differs greatly from business to business and multi-family complex to multi-family complex. Call CDS to schedule a free recycling consultation to determine if you can save money by signing up for source separated collection (800) 299-4898.

From the **LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Lawndale Service Center is located at 15331 Prairie Avenue and can be reached by calling **(310) 219-2750**.

With the holiday season upon us, we are all very busy with shopping, attending social gatherings and preparing wonderful meals for our family and friends. We often tend to forget and are remiss about our surroundings and being victimized. During this time of the year home and vehicles are potential targets for theft. Please consider the following suggestions in partnering with us to reduce thefts in our community.

- Make your home look occupied, and make it difficult to break in.
- Lock all outside doors and windows before you leave the house or go to bed. Even if it is for a short time, lock your doors.
- Leave lights on when you go out. If you are going to be away for a length of time, connect some lamps to automatic timers to turn them on in the evening and off during the day.
- Keep your garage door closed and locked.
- Don't allow daily deliveries of mail, newspapers or flyers to build up while you are away. Arrange with the Post Office to hold your mail, or arrange for a friend or neighbor to take them regularly.
- Do not leave valuables inside your vehicle, i.e. purse, wallet, gifts, money, etc.
- Remove all electronic devices and accessories from your vehicle, i.e. laptop computer, cellular telephone, camera, iPod, GPS devices, etc.
- Close and lock all vehicle doors and windows and activate alarm.

Anyone with information about any suspicious activity is encouraged to contact the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Lawndale Service Center at (310) 219-2750. If you prefer to provide information **ANONYMOUSLY**, you can call "Crime Stoppers" by dialing 800-222-TIPS (8477), texting the letters **TIPLA** plus your tip CRIMES (274637), or using the website <http://lacrimestoppers.org>

Recycling is Easy - Learn How Now!

All you need to do is simply capture all of your recyclables and put them into your blue cart, and make sure your yard waste goes into your green cart. If you're unsure if an item is recyclable, you can also refer to the list of acceptable materials listed on the inside of each cart lid. In addition, be aware that there are some other additions to Lawndale's recycling program. If you ever find that you have more trash than can fit in your trash cart (called "overage trash"), you can call Consolidated Disposal Services (CDS) for two free pickups per year of up to 3 large bags of trash per pickup. And finally, residents of Lawndale may set used oil and used oil filters next to their trash carts on trash pickup day and CDS will collect them at no additional charge. For Lawndale's disabled residents, CDS is offering free "backyard collection service". There will be no need for disabled residents to place their container by the curb. Just call the CDS customer service department at (800) 299-4898 to schedule a used oil pickup or setup backyard collection.

From the MUNICIPAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The Municipal Services Department is located at 14616 Grevillea Avenue, Lawndale, CA 90260, and is open Monday through Thursday from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Staff is also available seven days a week by calling **(310) 973-3220** between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Bicycle Safety Tips

The single most effective safety device available to reduce head injury and death from bicycle crashes is a helmet. Follow these simple steps:

Wear an appropriately sized helmet:

- Make it a rule: every time you and your child ride a bike, wear a bicycle helmet.
- Make sure the helmet fits and your child knows how to put it on correctly. A helmet should sit on top of the head in a level position, and should not rock forward, backward or side to side. The helmet straps must always be buckled, but not too tightly.



Try the Eyes, Ears and Mouth Test:

- **EYES** check: Position the helmet on your head. Look up and you should see the bottom rim of the helmet. The rim should be one to two finger-widths above the eyebrows.
- **EARS** check: Make sure the straps of the helmet form a "V" under your ears when buckled. The strap should be snug but comfortable.
- **MOUTH** check: Open your mouth as wide as you can. Do you feel the helmet hug your head? If not, tighten the straps and make sure the buckle is flat against your skin.

Use different helmets for different activities:

- Children should always wear a helmet for all wheeled sports activities. A properly-fitted bike helmet is just as effective when riding a scooter, roller skating or inline skating. However, when skateboarding and long boarding, make sure your child wears a skateboarding helmet.

Proper equipment fit and maintenance are also important for safety:

- Buy a bicycle that is the right size for the child, not one he will grow into. When sitting on the seat, the child's feet should be able to touch the ground.
- Ensure that the brakes are properly installed and working.
- Make sure the gears shift smoothly and tires are tightly secured and properly inflated.

Always model and teach proper behavior:

- Learn the rules of the road, and obey all traffic laws.
- Ride on the right side of the road, with traffic, not against. Stay as far to the right as possible.
- Use appropriate hand signals.
- Respect traffic signals, stopping at all stop signs and stop lights.

Adult supervision is essential:

- Supervise them until you are sure your child has acquired good traffic and judgment skills.
- Children should be able to demonstrate riding competence and knowledge of the rules of the road before cycling with traffic.
- Children should not ride a bicycle when it's dark, in the fog or in other low-visibility conditions.
- If riding at dusk, dawn or in the evening is unavoidable, use a light on the bike and make sure it has reflectors as well.
- Wear clothes and accessories that have reflective materials to improve biker visibility to motorists.

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New Dog License Fees Procedures Effective January 1, 2013

California or municipal law requires that all dogs over the age of four months be licensed as a rabies control measure. Making sure your pet has its current license attached to its collar also is your best insurance of having your pet returned to you in case he or she becomes lost or gets out of your yard. The pet license also lets you know if your pet is currently vaccinated against rabies.

To better serve our residents, the City has adopted new licensing procedures beginning January 1, 2013.

Below is an overview of the new procedures.

- Annual dog license fees will remain the same:

Base Fee	\$20.00
Altered	\$10.00
Non-Altered/Senior Resident	\$10.00
Altered/Senior Resident	\$5.00



- The new licensing period will be for a term of one year from the issuance date or for the duration of the dog's rabies vaccination, whichever period of time is shorter.
- A fifty percent late charge will be applied for any license that is not renewed within 14 days of the license expiration date.
- A discounted rate of fifty percent of the base license fee will be applied for a dog being licensed for the first time, whose rabies vaccination will expire within six months (for example, licensing dog in January and the rabies vaccination will expire in May of the same year).
- The dog license fee will be doubled (or a one hundred percent penalty applied) for any dog owner who fails to obtain a license until after they have been issued a courtesy notice or citation by the municipal services department staff or other enforcement agency.

Please contact the Municipal Services Department at (310) 973-3220 for additional information

2012 Quarterly Beautification Home Award Winners



The City's Beautification Committee has awarded the 3rd and 4th quarter Beautification Home Awards:

	3 rd Quarter	4 th Quarter
Southeast Quadrant:	None	4164 W. 170 th St.
Southwest Quadrant:	4511 W. 160 th St.	4447 W. 171 st St.
Northeast Quadrant:	15226 Avis Ave.	15323 Larch Ave.
Northwest Quadrant:	14819 Firmona Ave.	14631 Condon Ave.

Congratulations to all of the winners!

If you would like to nominate a beautiful home or business in your neighborhood for consideration, please contact the Municipal Services Department at (310) 973-3220.

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DEL DEPARTAMENTO DE SERVICIOS COMUNITARIOS

El Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios está ubicado en el Centro de Servicios Comunitarios de Lawndale ubicado en el 14700 de la Avenida Burin y se les puede contactar llamando al **(310) 973-3270** durante horas hábiles normales. Consulte la contraportada para las horas laborales.

en www.lawndalecity.org. Les informamos que existe un cargo por inscribirse en línea. Más información sobre programas e inscripciones se puede obtener contactando al Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios al (310) 973-3270 durante horas hábiles.

Por favor vea las páginas 2-5 para actividades de invierno, clases y programas.

Información sobre Inscripción a las Clases y los Programas

Las inscripciones a las siguientes clases y programas comienzan el 10 de diciembre de 2012 y se reciben exclusivamente en el Centro Comunitario de Lawndale, sin necesidad de hacer cita. Las horas de inscripción a los programas y las formas de pago aceptables son las siguientes:

- Lunes - Jueves, 7:30 a.m. a 5:00 p.m. – Efectivo, cheque personal, orden de pago, cheque de caja, tarjetas de crédito y de débito.
- Lunes - Jueves, 5:00 p.m. a 7:30 p.m. – Tarjetas de crédito y débito.
- Viernes, 7:30 a.m. a 3:30 p.m. – Tarjetas de crédito y débito.
- Sábados, 10:00 a.m. a 1:30 p.m. – Tarjetas de crédito y débito.

Las inscripciones también se pueden realizar en línea 24/7



¿Está planeando un evento? Llévelo a cabo en Lawndale

El Centro Comunitario de Lawndale tiene cuatro salones de lo más moderno en instalaciones, que están disponibles ser reservados para funciones privadas. Ya sea que usted tenga una fiesta de cumpleaños, baby shower, recepción de bodas, reunión familiar o cualquier otro evento, el Centro Comunitario de Lawndale tiene el salón para su evento. Las siguientes instalaciones están disponibles para grupos grandes y pequeños:

- Salón Completo para Eventos Principales – 3,700 Pies cuadrados
- Medio Salón de Eventos Principales – 1,850 Pies cuadrados
- Cocina – 800 pies cuadrados (solo disponible con la reservación del salón completo de eventos principales)
- Salón de juntas completo – 1,780 pies cuadrados
- Medio salón de juntas – 890 pies cuadrados

Para más detalles, como disponibilidad y costo, contacte al Centro Comunitario de Lawndale, al (310) 973-3270. O, visite el sitio web de la ciudad, www.lawndalecity.org, y vaya a Government, Departments, Community Services, Facilities Rental y haga clic en Facility Rental y Deposit Fee Schedule, para conseguir información completa sobre todos los salones y detalles de costo.



Meeting Room



Main Event Room

El Centro Comunitario de Lawndale Gana un Prestigioso Premio

Recientemente el nuevo Centro Comunitario de Lawndale, ganó en la categoría de Instalaciones de Recreación del proyecto del año 2012 de la Asociación Americana de Obras Públicas. Los aspectos únicos del centro comunitario y la manera en que las instalaciones han enriquecido la calidad de vida de la comunidad, son factores claves contribuyentes para recibir dicho premio. La designación de Plata por Diseño líder de medioambiente y energía (LEED por sus siglas en inglés) incluyendo jardinería resistente a la sequía, plomería de poco uso de agua, sistema de aire acondicionado de energía eficiente, "techo frío" de membranas de alta reflectividad, iluminación de bajo consumo de energía y el uso de luz natural, contribuye también a esos factores. Y finalmente el centro fue construido usando materiales de bajas emisiones con un mínimo de Compuestos Orgánicos Volátiles (VOC por sus siglas en inglés) así como: adhesivos, selladores, pinturas y revestimientos, sistemas de tapiz y compuestos de madera con productos de agrofibra y 75% de los materiales de construcción fueron reciclados y desviados de los vertederos.



'Farmer's Market' Certificado de Lawndale

¿Sabía usted que Lawndale tiene su propio Farmer's Market certificado? ¿Por qué ir lejos a comprar frutas y verduras orgánicas, si las puede comprar aquí mismo en Lawndale, de granjeros amistosos, a precios razonables? Cuando usted compra comida en el Farmer's Market certificado de Lawndale, está apoyando una forma de vida saludable, libre de contaminantes.

El Farmer's Market certificado de Lawndale se encuentra cada miércoles de las 2 p.m. a las 7 p.m. en el prado de la Librería de Lawndale, junto al Ayuntamiento. Si por alguna razón, usted nunca ha ido al Farmer's Market certificado de Lawndale, lo puede encontrar en el 14615 de la Avenida Burin, cerca de la intersección de la Avenida Burin y la Calle 147, a una cuadra al oeste del Bulevar Hawthorne.

El Farmer's Market certificado de Lawndale también brinda buena comida, preparada ahí mismo, mientras espera. Así es que si le interesa la buena comida y la buena compañía, visite el Farmer's Market certificado de Lawndale, los miércoles. ¡No quedará decepcionado! ¿Le preocupa que esté muy oscuro? No se preocupe, el mercado está bien iluminado con alumbrado temporal. El mercado estará cerrado durante el mes de diciembre y reabrirá enero 3. El mercado ahora acepta transferencias electrónicas de beneficios (EBT, por sus siglas en inglés).

El Canal de Televisión de la Ciudad de Lawndale se Cambia al Canal 3

Ha habido grandes cambios en la tecnología y las leyes estatales que afectan cómo y cuándo pueden los residentes ver la televisión local, hecha especialmente para Lawndale. Por lo tanto, el canal de televisión de Lawndale está cambiando su nombre a Lawndale CityTV para servir mejor a sus televidentes. Para que las cosas sean más fáciles, ahora usted puede encontrar Lawndale CityTV en el Canal 3 tanto en cable Time Warner como en el sistema de cable de Verizon FiOS. Todavía le traemos todos los maravillosos programas locales que usted espera, como las juntas del Consejo Municipal, eventos deportivos de high school y otros tipos de buena programación comunitaria. También, el boletín informativo de televisión de la ciudad de Lawndale, conseguirá su propio canal 24/7. Ahora también podrá ver mensajes importantes e información acerca de la Ciudad y otros eventos y programas comunitarios en el Canal 22 en el sistema de cable Time Warner y en el Canal 29 en el sistema de cable Verizon FiOS. Conforme los tiempos vayan cambiando, usted puede confiar en que Lawndale CityTV estará ahí por usted."



La Escuela Primaria Billy Mitchell Recibe Mención



La Alianza para una Generación más Saludable, fundada por la Asociación Americana del Corazón y la Fundación William J. Clinton, ha reconocido a la Escuela Primaria Billy Mitchell por transformar su campus en un lugar saludable para los estudiantes y el personal. Para ganarse este reconocimiento nacional, la escuela mejoró su nutrición y sus programas de actividades físicas para cumplir o exceder las normas más rigurosas establecidas por los programas escolares de salud de la Alianza, para una Generación más Saludable.

El Programa Escolar de Salud, proporciona amplio asesoramiento y recursos, sin costo alguno a más de 15,000 escuelas por todo el país para ayudar a revertir la epidemia de obesidad infantil. Las escuelas son elegibles para el reconocimiento nacional de bronce, de plata y de oro basado en su alto nivel. Billy Mitchell es una de más de 250 escuelas por todo el país, siendo honradas en el Forum de Programa de Escuelas Saludables en Little Rock, Arkansas. Como ganador del reconocimiento de Plata Nacional, la escuela ha creado un programa en el cual el personal, los estudiantes, los padres de familia y la comunidad, participan en actividades que crearán nuevos cambios de vida para salud y bienestar.

Tres Buenas Razones para Prepararse para Clima Más Frío

Conforme bajan las temperaturas este invierno, el Centro de Servicios del Medioambiente de South Bay, (SBESC por sus siglas en inglés) y la Compañía de Gas del Sur de California, (SoCalGas) están informando a sus clientes que revisen sus aparatos de calefacción del hogar y llevar a cabo cualquier mantenimiento necesario para evitar cualquier riesgo de salud o seguridad.

Razón #1: Es por su seguridad: Ahora es el momento de revisar los aparatos de calefacción del hogar, para que funcionen con seguridad y eficiencia. A los aparatos de calefacción se les tiene que dar mantenimiento anual para que funcionen con seguridad y eficiencia. Un contratista con licencia de aparatos de calentamiento o SoCalGas puede proporcionar el servicio.

Razón #2: Es por su salud: El no dar mantenimiento anual a los aparatos de gas, podría exponerlo al monóxido de carbono, lo cual puede causar náusea, mareos, síntomas de influenza y hasta la muerte.

Razón #3: Le ahorra dinero: Como la cuenta por calefacción equivale a más de la mitad de la cuenta mensual de gas en invierno, la mejor manera de mantener bajas las cuentas, es darle el servicio a los aparatos de gas.

Para mayor información en cuanto a los aparatos de calefacción, visite el sitio web de SoCalGas en socalgas.com (busque "FURNACE SAFETY"). Para información sobre el ahorro de energía, contacte al Centro de Servicios de Medioambiente de South Bay (SBESC) al (310) 371-7222 y pregunte sobre nuestros programas o visite el sitio web del centro en www.sbesc.com

¡No Pelee - Pida Ayuda!



Los residentes de Lawndale visitan a menudo el Ayuntamiento para pedir ayuda para resolver las diferencias, disputas o desacuerdos que estén teniendo. Son vecinos quejándose de bardas comunes, árboles que crecen cubriendo los límites de las propiedades, fiestas a alto volumen, nuevas construcciones, disputas entre propietarios e inquilinos por los depósitos de seguridad, asuntos de mantenimiento, aumentos de renta y desalojos, consumidores y comerciantes discutiendo por la calidad de productos o servicios y regateo de la asociación de propietarios de casa sobre el uso de las áreas comunes, ruido y estacionamientos. ¡Y esto es apenas una muestra del panorama general!

En muchos, si no en todos los casos, los oficiales de servicios comunitarios, el personal para la aplicación de los códigos, y personal de la Ciudad, incluyendo el Sheriff, no tienen la autoridad para intervenir puesto que típicamente estas disputas son de naturaleza civil y podrían no involucrar violaciones a los Códigos Municipales o Leyes Estatales, sin embargo existe una manera de conseguir ayuda.

La Ciudad de Lawndale ha contratado al Centro para Resolución de Disputas de South Bay, para ayudar a la resolución de este tipo de disputas, a través de una mediación, con la ayuda de los mediadores, que son profesionales neutrales, capacitados. En la gran mayoría de estas situaciones, la mediación permite a las partes encontrar una resolución que sea conveniente, efectiva y diseñada para cumplir con las necesidades presentadas y enfocarse en las preocupaciones. Los servicios del Centro están disponibles, sin costo alguno para los residentes, comerciantes, propietarios e inquilinos.

El Centro de Resolución de Disputas de South Bay ha podido resolver innumerables asuntos en Lawndale y podemos ayudarle a usted también. Así es que en lugar de discutir, contacte al Centro. También hay mediadores bilingües disponibles. Para tomar cartas en el asunto, llame al Centro al (310) 376-7007. Visite nuestro sitio web en www.sbcdcr.net

¿Está Listo para un Desfile?

El Desfile del Día de la Juventud pasará por las calles de Lawndale el sábado 27 de abril de 2013, comenzando a las 10:00 a.m. ¡Habrá mucha diversión y muchos piratas! Estamos buscando grupos escolares, grupos de la comunidad, bandas de marcha, equipos atléticos, porristas, líneas de tambores, clubes de autos clásicos y autos (pre-1970), organizaciones no lucrativas, comercios locales, equipos deportivos y otros grupos interesados en participar. ¡La inscripción es gratuita y fácil! Para inscribirse y cualquier otra información relacionada, visite la página del Desfile de la Juventud en www.lawndalecity.org, o vaya a www.lawndalecity.org, Departments, Community Services, 2013 Youth Day Parade. Para mayor información contacte al Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios, al (310) 973-3270, o por correo electrónico en mestes@lawndalecity.org.



¿Necesita Permiso para un Evento Especial? Búsquelo.

La Ciudad de Lawndale tiene un proceso para aprobar los eventos especiales para los residentes y comerciantes que planeen eventos que se lleven a cabo parcial o en su totalidad, dentro de los límites de la ciudad, los cuales atraigan a una cantidad de gente importante, durante cualquier período de veinticuatro horas y/o que afecten el derecho de paso del público. Un evento especial se puede definir como un evento comercial o no comercial, organizado por organizaciones lucrativas o no lucrativas que se lleve a cabo en propiedad privada o propiedad de la ciudad. Los ejemplos de eventos que requieran permiso son, pero no están limitados a, atracciones recreativas, eventos atléticos, carnavales, circos, conciertos, exposiciones, ferias, fuegos artificiales, desfiles, recaudaciones de fondos, ventas en las aceras, eventos de los medios de comunicación, etc.

Si usted es un residente o comerciante, planeando tal evento, es posible que necesite tal permiso. Si no está seguro de necesitar un permiso especial, haga favor de contactar al Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios al (310) 973-3270, o por correo electrónico a mestes@lawndalecity.org para averiguarlo. Solicitarlo no requiere una cuota, sin embargo, sí se necesitan los recursos de la ciudad para tener seguridad en el evento, es posible que exista un costo, o podrían requerir permisos adicionales dependiendo de la naturaleza del evento. Las solicitudes se pueden obtener en el sitio web de la ciudad en www.lawndalecity.org, City Hall Online, en la liga de Forms. También se pueden obtener solicitudes impresas visitando el Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios.

Calendario de Eventos de Ciudad en el 2013

Marzo

Semana de limpieza
Día de limpieza
Búsqueda de los Huevos de Pascua

Abril

Desfile de la Juventud de la Ciudad

Mayo

Ceremonia de Memorial Day

Junio

Feria de salud y seguridad

Septiembre

1er Festival Anual de Música de Jazz y Blues

Octubre

Halloween

Noviembre

Evento de Iluminación del Árbol de Ángeles

Las fechas precisas están por determinarse en la publicación de primavera. Los eventos están sujetos a cambio.



DEL DEPARTAMENTO DEL ALGUACIL DEL CONDADO DE LOS ÁNGELES

El Centro de Servicios de Lawndale, del Departamento del Alguacil del Condado de Los Ángeles, está ubicado en el 15331 de la Avenida Prairie y se le puede contactar llamando al **(310) 219-2750**.

Con las fiestas navideñas aproximándose, todos estamos muy ocupados comprando, asistiendo a reuniones sociales y preparando alimentos deliciosos para nuestra familia y amigos. A menudo tendemos a olvidarnos y descuidamos nuestros alrededores y resultamos siendo víctimas. En esta época del año, las casas y los vehículos son posibles blancos para robo. Por favor considere las siguientes sugerencias y trabaje con nosotros para reducir los robos en nuestra comunidad.

- Haga que su casa se vea ocupada y haga que sea difícil allanarla.
- Cierre con llave todas las puertas y asegure las ventanas antes de salir de la casa, o al irse a dormir. Aunque vaya a salir por poco tiempo, cierre sus puertas con llave.
- Deje las luces prendidas cuando salga. Si va a estar afuera mucho tiempo, conecte algunas lámparas con medidores automáticos para que se prendan en la noche y se apaguen durante el día.
- Mantenga la puerta de su garaje cerrada.
- No permita que se amontone el correo, periódico o volantes cuando se encuentre ausente. Arregle con la oficina de correos para que le guarden su correo, o arregle con un vecino o amigo para que se los recoja regularmente.
- No deje objetos valiosos en su vehículo, v.g. bolsa, cartera, regalos, dinero, etc.
- Saque los aparatos electrónicos y accesorios de su vehículo v.g. laptop, celular, cámara, iPod, GPS, etc.
- Cierre las ventanas y las puertas de su vehículo con llave y active la alarma.

Cualquier persona que tenga información sobre cualquier actividad sospechosa, se le exhorta a que contacte al Departamento del Alguacil del Condado de Los Ángeles, Centro de Servicios de Lawndale, al (310) 219-2750. Si prefiere dar información **ANÓNIMAMENTE**, puede llamar a "Crime Stoppers" al 800-222-TIPS (8477), o mandando un texto **TIPLA** y su reporte CRIMES (274637), o en el sitio web <http://lacrimestoppers.org>

Programa de Alimentos Gratuitos USDA

El programa 'Commodities' de Lawndale está abierto al público de todas las edades que califiquen, que se encuentran necesitados de alimentos. Los alimentos son suministrados por el Banco de Alimentos del Sur de California y la Secretaría de Agricultura, (USDA, por sus siglas en inglés). El banco de alimentos obtiene y distribuye donaciones de alimentos nutritivos que la Ciudad de Lawndale recoge de bodegas, los empaca y los distribuye semanalmente. Los alimentos recibidos cada semana, varían y frecuentemente consisten en alimentos enlatados, y frutas y verduras frescas.

Información sobre la Distribución de Alimentos:

La distribución de alimentos se lleva a cabo en el Centro Comunitario de la Ciudad, ubicado en el 14700 de la Avenida Burin, en el Salón de Eventos Especiales en el tercer piso. Los alimentos se distribuyen cada miércoles a las 10:00 A.M. conforme van llegando y es para aquellos que califican, hasta que se terminen los alimentos. Las líneas para obtener los alimentos se forman temprano. Aquellos que obtengan alimentos, deben confirmar, con su firma, que se siguieron los lineamientos EFAP. Para mayor información, contacte al Departamento de Servicios Comunitarios al (310) 973-3270.

DEL DEPARTAMENTO DE OBRAS PÚBLICAS

El Departamento de Obras Públicas, se encuentra ubicado en el 4722 del Bulevar Manhattan Beach y se les puede contactar llamando al **(310) 973-3260** de lunes a jueves entre las 7:00 a.m. y las 6:00 p.m.

Actualización sobre el Programa de Mejoras Importantes del Invierno del 2013

El Departamento de Obras Públicas se complace en proporcionar un reporte del Programa de Mejoras Importantes (CIP por sus siglas en inglés). Hay cinco categorías de proyectos CIP que incluyen: 1) mejoras a las calles;

2) mejoras al concreto (banquetas y coladeras); 3) mejoras al tráfico; 4) mejoras a los parques; y 5) mejoras a los servicios. Una serie de proyectos se encuentran actualmente en construcción o en la fase de diseño y planeamiento. **Haga favor de ver la página 8 para los proyectos completados y por completarse.**

NOTICIAS SOBRE RECICLAJE

Noticias Sobre Reciclaje – Mantenga Limpio

Papel Triturado: Si usted recicla papel triturado, póngalo en una bolsa de papel y etiquétela con "Papel Triturado" para que se pueda encontrar fácilmente y pueda ser movido a un lugar de reciclaje apropiado. El papel triturado suelto, puede contaminar otros reciclables.

Sueltos: Coloque sus reciclables SUELTOS en el bote/carrito azul de reciclaje. No los amontone en bolsas y recuerde de vaciar las botellas de leche de plástico, las botellas de soda y otros reciclables, antes de reciclarlos. Los líquidos que se dejan en los envases, pueden contaminar otros reciclables.

Bolsas de Plástico: Si tiene muchas bolsas de plástico, por favor póngalas todas en una bolsa de plástico para que puedan ser reciclados rápido y adecuadamente.

Por favor NO recicle los siguientes artículos:

Mangueras: Las mangueras pueden atorarse en las líneas de selección y en las bandas transportadoras. Por favor tire las mangueras a la basura.

Ropa: Done su ropa al Ejército de Salvación o córtela para hacer trapos para usarlos.

Poliestireno: Por favor tírelo en la basura. La mayoría de los lugares de reciclaje no aceptan estos materiales para reciclaje.

Reciclar es Fácil - ¡Aprenda a Hacerlo!

Todo lo que necesita hacer es reunir todos sus reciclables y ponerlos en el bote/carrito azul y asegúrese que su desecho verde vaya al bote/carrito verde. Si no está seguro si un artículo es reciclable, puede referirse a la lista de materiales aceptables en el interior de la tapa del bote. Además le informamos que se han agregado otras cosas al programa de reciclaje. Si en algún momento encuentra que tiene más basura de la que puede caber en su bote/carrito, (llamado excedente de basura), puede llamar a Consolidated Disposal Services (CDS) para dos recogidas gratuitas por año, de hasta 3 bolsas de basura grandes por recogida. Y finalmente, los residentes de Lawndale pueden poner aceite usado y los filtros de aceite, junto a los botes de basura el día de recolección de basura y CDS los recogerá sin costo adicional.

Noticias sobre el barrido de las calles:

No se barrerán las calles en las siguientes fechas:
25 de diciembre, 1 de enero, 21 de enero y 18 de febrero.

Nueva Ley Requiere que los Multifamiliares y los Comercios, Reciclen

En Octubre de 2011, el Gobernador Brown promulgó la ley 341 (AB341) la cual requiere que los comercios que generen cuatro o más pies cúbicos de desecho por semana, y multifamiliares que consisten de cinco o más unidades, tengan un programa de reciclaje para el 1º de julio del 2012. Para información adicional sobre los requisitos de la ley AB 341 visite: <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/recycling/faq.htm>. De acuerdo a la ley AB 341, los comercios y multifamiliares pueden cumplir con esta ley de la siguiente manera:

- (1) Separe desde el origen, los materiales reciclables del desecho sólido e inscríbase en un servicio básico de reciclables que incluya que usted pueda transportarlos y otros arreglos para la recolección de materiales reciclables. Separar desde el origen, se refiere a un sistema de recolección en el cual el cliente separa los reciclables de la basura en 2 botes diferentes.
- (2) Inscribise en un programa de reciclaje, que pueda incluir desecho mezclado que produce resultados comparables a la separación desde el origen. El procesamiento de desecho mezclado es el método de separar los reciclables de la basura en el establecimiento; el cliente deposita todos los materiales, basura y reciclables en un bote.

Los multifamiliares y los comercios ubicados en la Ciudad de Lawndale reciben un servicio de procesamiento de reciclaje de desecho mezclado y por lo tanto están en cumplimiento con la ley. Sin embargo, si usted quisiera dar el siguiente paso y separar desde el origen, el sistema de recolección de la ciudad, Consolidated Disposal Service (CDS), ofrece este servicio a los comercios y multifamiliares. La cantidad de reciclables generados varía de manera importante entre un comercio y el otro y de multifamiliar a multifamiliar. Llame a CDS para una consulta gratis para determinar si puede ahorrar dinero inscribiéndose en el programa de recolección desde el origen, al (800) 299-4898.

Recicle y Ahorre \$

¿Sabía usted que puede reducir el costo de su cuenta de la basura, reciclando? En los últimos 2 años, el sistema de basura de la ciudad, Consolidated Disposal Service (CDS) ha implementado exitosamente un sistema basado en el volumen de basura, que los residentes pagan, de acuerdo con el tamaño de su bote de basura negro. La idea es sencilla: poner los reciclajes en el bote/carrito azul en lugar del bote/carrito negro, podría disminuir la cantidad de basura que se desecha en el bote/carrito negro. Usted tiene tres opciones para los botes/carritos de basura: 35-galones, 64-galones y 96-galones. Si usted reduce del bote/carrito de 96-galones, a uno de 35-galones, usted se ahorraría \$99 por año. Si quisiera cambiar a un bote/carrito más pequeño y ahorrar dinero, llame al Departamento de Servicio al Cliente de CDS al (800) 299-4898. Si usted tiene 65 años o más, usted podría ser elegible para un descuento del 15% de descuento en todos los servicios rechazados. Mientras tanto, llene el bote/carrito azul con artículos reciclables.

DEL DEPARTAMENTO DE SERVICIOS MUNICIPALES

El Departamento de Servicios Municipales está ubicado en el 14616 de la Avenida Grevillea en Lawndale y está abierto de las 7:00 a.m. a las 6:00 p.m. El personal está disponible también los siete días de la semana, llamando al **(310) 973-3220** de las 8:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

Consejos de Seguridad de Bicicletas

La manera más sencilla y efectiva de reducir las lesiones en la cabeza y la muerte, en caso de un accidente en bicicleta, es el casco. Siga estos siguientes pasos sencillos:

Use un casco de tamaño apropiado:

- Que sea una regla: cada vez que usted y su hijo anden en bicicleta, usen casco.
- Asegúrese que el casco le quede correctamente a su hijo. Un casco debe quedar sobre la cabeza a un nivel parejo y no debe moverse para atrás o para adelante, o de lado a lado. Un casco se ajusta con las cintas y siempre debe estar abrochado, pero no muy apretado.



Haga la prueba de ojos, orejas y boca:

- OJOS: Póngase el casco sobre la cabeza. Ve a hacia adelante y debería ver el borde inferior del casco. El borde debe quedar a uno o dos dedos de ancho arriba de las cejas.
- OREJAS: Asegúrese que las cintas formen una "V" abajo de sus orejas, al estar abrochadas. La cinta debe quedar cómodamente apretadita.
- BOCA: Abra la boca lo más que pueda. ¿Siente que el casco está ajustado en la cabeza? Si no, apriete las cintas y asegúrese de el broche quede plano junto a su piel.

Uso diferentes cascos para diferentes actividades:

- Los niños siempre tienen que usar casco para todas las actividades deportivas sobre ruedas. Un casco bien puesto es tan efectivo al andar en patín del diablo [scooter] o en patines. Sin embargo cuando anden en patineta, o long boarding asegúrese que su hijo use el casco para patineta.

El equipo que quede bien y al que se le dé buen mantenimiento, es importante para la seguridad:

- Compre una bicicleta que sea del tamaño específico para su hijo, no una que le quede grande para que al crecer le quede bien. Al sentarse en el asiento, los pies del niño deben tocar el suelo.
- Asegúrese que los frenos estén bien instalados y que funcionen bien.
- Asegúrese que las velocidades cambien suavemente y que las llantas estén bien aseguradas y bien infladas.

Siempre sea un ejemplo a seguir y muestre buen comportamiento:

- Aprenda las reglas del camino y obedezca las leyes de tránsito.
- Ande en bicicleta en el lado derecho de la calle, con el tráfico, no en contra. Péguese a la derecha lo más que pueda.
- Use señales de mano apropiadas.
- Respete las señales de tránsito, parándose en todos los altos y los semáforos.

La supervisión de adultos es esencial:

- Supervíselos hasta que esté seguro que su hijo haya adquirido buen sentido del tráfico y de juicio.
- Los niños deben poder demostrar que son competentes para andar en bicicleta y que tienen el conocimiento de las reglas del camino, antes de que empiecen a andar entre el tráfico.
- Los niños no deben andar en bicicleta en la oscuridad, cuando hay neblina, u otras condiciones de poca visibilidad.
- Al andar en bicicleta al atardecer o al amanecer, use luces en su bicicleta y asegúrese que tenga reflectores.
- Use ropa y accesorios que sean de material reflectantes para mejorar la visibilidad a los motoristas.

Reimpreso de www.safekids.org

Nuevas Cuotas de Licencias para Perros, a Partir del 1º de Enero del 2013

La ley de California o municipal, requiere que todos los perros mayores de cuatro meses de edad tengan licencia, como una medida del control de la rabia. Al asegurarse que su perro tenga la licencia al día, pegada a su collar, también le asegura que su perro le sea regresado en caso de que se pierda o se le salga de la casa. La licencia también nos informa si su mascota está vacunada contra la rabia.

Para poder atender mejor a nuestros residentes, la ciudad ha adoptado nuevos procedimientos de licencia, comenzando el 1º de enero del 2013. A continuación tenemos una descripción de los nuevos procedimientos.

- La cuota de licencia anual de perros, permanece igual:
Cuota básica \$20.00
Alterada \$10.00
No Alterada/Residente Senior \$10.00
Alterada/ Residente Senior \$5.00



- El nuevo período de licencias es por el término de un año a partir de la fecha de expedición, o por lo que dure la vacuna de la rabia, cualquiera que sea el período más corto.
- Un cargo de cincuenta por ciento más se aplicará a cualquier licencia que no se haya renovado dentro de los 14 días de vencimiento de la licencia.
- Un descuento del cincuenta por ciento de la cuota básica de la licencia, se aplicará a cualquier perro que sea vacunado por primera vez, cuya vacuna se venza en seis meses (por ejemplo, los perros con licencia en enero y la vacuna de la rabia que se venza en mayo del mismo año).
- La cuota de licencias de perros se duplicará (o se aplicará una penalidad del cien por ciento) a cualquier perro que no obtenga una licencia después de que se le haya enviado el recordatorio de cortesía o citación del personal de servicios municipales u otras agencias de las autoridades.

Haga el favor de contactar al Departamento de Servicios Municipales el (310) 973-3220 para información adicional.

Ganadores del Premio de Embellecimiento de Hogares 2012



El Comité de Embellecimiento de la Ciudad, ha presentado los Premios del 3º y 4º trimestre del 2012 a los siguientes hogares:

	3º Trimestre	4º Trimestre
Cuadrante sureste:	Ninguno	4164 W. 170 th St.
Cuadrante suroeste:	4511 W. 160 th St.	4447 W. 171 st St.
Cuadrante noreste:	15226 Avis Ave.	15323 Larch Ave.
Cuadrante noroeste:	14819 Firmona Ave.	14631 Condon Ave.

¡Felicidades a todos los ganadores!

Si quiere someter a consideración algún hogar o comercio bello en su vecindario, por favor contacte al Departamento de Servicios Municipales al (310) 973-3220.

Lawndale City Hall: 14717 Burin Avenue - (310) 973-3200
Hours: Monday-Thursday, 7 am to 6 pm

Lawndale Civic Center Plaza:
Intersection of W. 147th Street and Burin Avenue

Lawndale Community Center: 14700 Burin Avenue
Hours: Monday-Thursday, 7 am to 8 pm; Friday, 7 am to 4 pm;
Saturday, 10 am - 2 pm. Sundays and Holidays closed.

Sheriff's Service Center
15331 Prairie Avenue - (310) 219-2750

Sheriff's Department / South LA Station
1310 W. Imperial Hwy., Los Angeles, CA 90044 - (323) 820-6700

Lawndale Fire Station #21
4312 W. 147th Street - (310) 679-1131 or (310) 676-4606
(Use 911 For Emergency Purposes)

Los Angeles County Help Line
Telephone Number 2-1-1



County Library: 14615 Burin Avenue - (310) 676-0177
Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday, 1 to 8 pm &
Thursday & Friday, 11 am to 6 pm & Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm
(Closed Sundays and Mondays)

Planning & Building: 14717 Burin Avenue - (310) 973-3230
Building Permits - (310) 973-3237
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 am to 6 pm
Building Inspector - Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 am to 9 am

Public Works Department: 4722 Manhattan Beach Blvd. - (310) 973-3260
Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 am to 6 pm

Municipal Services Department: 14616 Grevillea Avenue
General Info: (310) 973-3220; **Parking Info:** (310) 973-3223
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 am to 6 pm
Patrol Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 am to 7 pm and Friday - Sunday, 9 am to 7 pm
Telephone Service: Monday - Sunday, 8 am to 7 pm

Lawndale Historical Society Museum: 14616 Grevillea Avenue
Hours: Wednesdays, 1 pm to 5 pm.

Community Center Annex
14616 1/2 Grevillea Avenue - Reservation Facility Only.

Jane Addams Park (Supervised): 15114 Firmona Avenue - (310) 970-2188
Hours: Monday - Friday, 3:30 pm - 8 pm; Saturday & Sunday, 10 am - 8 pm

Bollinger Gym (Supervised): 4040 W. 154th Street - (310) 973-3274
Hours: Monday - Friday, 6 pm to 10 pm; Saturday & Sunday, 10 am to 8 pm

William Green Park (Supervised): 4558 W. 168th Street - (310) 371-5273
Hours: Monday - Friday, 3 pm to 8 pm; Saturday & Sunday, 10 am to 8 pm

Rogers/Anderson Park (Supervised)
4161 W. Manhattan Beach Blvd. - (310) 970-2189
Hours: Monday - Friday, 3 pm to 8 pm or Dusk and
Saturday & Sunday, 10 am to 8 pm or Dusk

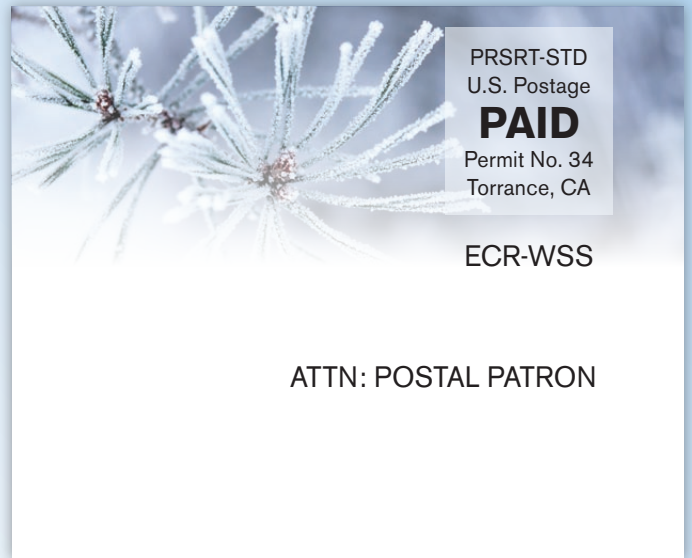
Frank Hogan Tot Lot (Unsupervised)
4045 W. 167th Street - Hours: Monday - Sunday, Dawn to Dusk

Hopper Park (Unsupervised)
4418 W. 162nd Street - Hours: Monday - Sunday, 8 am to 8 pm or Dusk

Lawndale Dog Park (Unsupervised): 14725 Larch Avenue
Hours: Monday - Friday, 7 am to Dusk; Saturday & Sunday 7:30 am to Dusk

Dan McKenzie Community Garden (Unsupervised)
4324 W. 160th St. (Must be a registered gardener to enter.)

Alondra Park (LA County Facility)
3850 W. Manhattan Beach Blvd. - (310) 217-8366



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Lawndale Little League	(424) 237-0045
Library	(310) 676-0177
Neighborhood Watch (Sheriff's Department)	(310) 219-2750
Personnel	(310) 973-3201
Post Office	(310) 679-9804
Railroad Information (Public Utilities Commission)	(213) 576-7000
Senior Services	(310) 973-3270
Sheriff's Department	(310) 219-2750
Shopping Cart Retrieval Hotline	(310) 973-3299
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