



SPOTLIGHTING SUCCESS: ELEVATING ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH PROMOTION AND RECOGNITION

Amidst cheers and laughter, newly promoted members of the **Fullerton Fire Department** are doused with buckets of water during a promotion tradition at the end of the ceremony at Fullerton Free on Friday, March 8, 2024.

Hosting the first promotion ceremony since 2019, FFD celebrated over 690 years of service, recognized members who are new to the fire family, those who have completed their probation, newly licensed paramedics, and recently promoted fire engineers, fire captains, battalion chiefs, division chief, and deputy chiefs. Friends and family supported their loved ones, pinned new badges, and honored the men and women of the Fullerton Fire Department.

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ADMINISTRATION

MIKE NESS DAY

On **April 3, 2024** the City of Fullerton, in partnership with the Museum Center, hosted Mike Ness Day at the Downtown Fullerton Plaza. At the event, Mayor Dunlap proudly presented Mike Ness with a Key to the City and declared April 3rd Mike Ness Day in Fullerton. Following the ceremony, there was a lively reception filled with music, refreshments, and camaraderie.

It was a joyous occasion where people from all walks of life came together to celebrate and honor Mike Ness and his extraordinary achievements and enduring legacy!



STATE OF THE CITY RECAP

The 2024 State of the City took place on April 4th and this year's theme was **"Foundation of the Future: Uniting the Past & Present for a Thriving Community."** During the event, Mayor Dunlap delivered the keynote address, outlining the progress in various areas such as infrastructure development, economic growth, public safety initiatives, and community engagement efforts.

The event also included an incredible welcome performance by Troy High School's Warrior Band and Guard as guests walked towards the event and introductory music by Troy High School's Apollo's Strings that included the National Anthem by their orchestra after the Fullerton Police Department's Honor Guard graciously took the stage for the presentation of the colors.

The State of the City event served as an important gathering for citizens, business leaders, and community stakeholders, and underscored the resilience and vitality of Fullerton's past, and it's future as a thriving community.



REP. CORREA, MAYOR DUNLAP ANNOUNCE \$500,000 FOR FULLERTON AIRPORT TECHNOLOGY, ACCESSIBILITY UPGRADES

On March 20, 2024 Representative Lou Correa and Fullerton Mayor Nicholas Dunlap announced the delivery of \$500,000 in federal tax dollars for the City of Fullerton and Fullerton Municipal Airport (FUL) to fund much-needed technology and accessibility upgrades for its Air Traffic Control.

Specifically, the funding will be used to rehabilitate portions of the Airport Traffic Control Tower with improvements including an ADA compliant stairway, restroom upgrade, sound insulation, IT/security, lighting, electrical and utility upgrades.

This funding was made available through the Federal Aviation Administration's FY2024 Contract Tower Competitive Grant Program which was created through the BIL with the help of Rep. Correa, and allows airports to sustain, construct, repair, improve, rehabilitate, modernize, replace, or relocate non-approach control towers; acquire and install air traffic control, communications, and related equipment to be used in those towers.

COYOTE TOWN HALL RECAP

The City hosted a Coyote Town Hall discussion on **Monday, March 25th** in partnership with OC Animal Care. The Town Hall was aimed to address concerns regarding coyotes in the Fullerton community and included an educational presentation on coyote behavior, habits, and strategies for coexistence. Attendees were informed about the natural behaviors of coyotes, including their hunting patterns, territories, and interactions with humans and pets. OC Animal Care provided safety tips for encounters with coyotes and residents had the opportunity to ask questions and share their concerns about coyotes in their neighborhoods.

Overall, the town hall meeting served as a platform for education, dialogue, community engagement, and resources that foster a safer and more informed community on coexisting with wildlife.

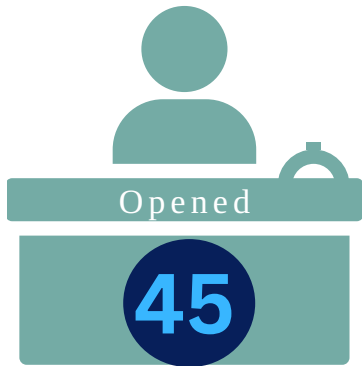




CITY CLERK

PUBLIC RECORDS DATA

The City Clerk's Office opened 45 public records requests and closed 52 public records requests March 1st - March 30th with an average close of 7.72 days.



SAFE AND SANE FIREWORKS



Non-profit groups serving Fullerton as their primary operation submitted applications for the 2024 Safe and Sane Fireworks Lottery. The application period ended March 28, 2024.

The City will hold the Lottery Drawing on April 16, 2024. Groups drawn in the Lottery have until June 6, 2024 to complete the fireworks sale permit process and may sell fireworks on July 1 - 4, 2024.

Visit [Fireworks Sales](https://www.cityoffullerton.com/fireworks-sales) | [Fullerton, CA](https://www.cityoffullerton.com) ([cityoffullerton.com](https://www.cityoffullerton.com)) or contact the Fullerton City Clerk's Office at cityclerksoffice@cityoffullerton.com or (714) 738-6350 for more information.



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

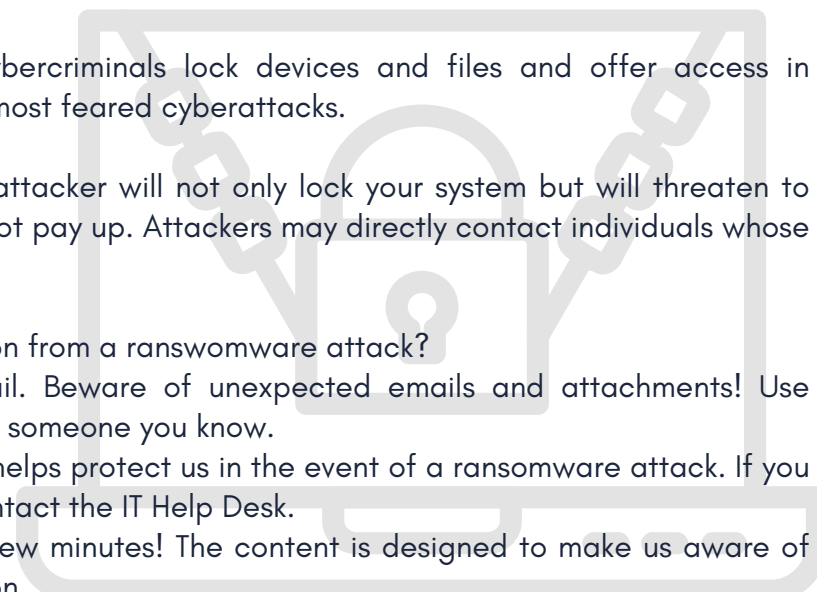
SPOTLIGHT ON RANSOMWARE

What is ransomware? In a ransomware attack, cybercriminals lock devices and files and offer access in exchange for a payment. Ransomware is one of the most feared cyberattacks.

Ransomware has evolved into extortion, where the attacker will not only lock your system but will threaten to release sensitive information to the public if you do not pay up. Attackers may directly contact individuals whose information they have stolen.

How can I help protect myself and the City of Fullerton from a ransomware attack?

- Ransomware is most often delivered through email. Beware of unexpected emails and attachments! Use caution before opening attachments, even if it's from someone you know.
- Use Egnyte. Egnyte is our file-sharing software and helps protect us in the event of a ransomware attack. If you have questions or need help using Egnyte, please contact the IT Help Desk.
- Take the monthly security training - it only takes a few minutes! The content is designed to make us aware of potential security threats faced at the City of Fullerton.



ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

NEW BUSINESS REGISTRATIONS

CERAGEM

RETAIL SALES - HOME HEALTH
APPLIANCES/MASSAGE/THERMAL/LUXURY

IMMACULATE SERVICES

CONTRACTOR - SPECIALTY

LUX PLUMBING & DRAINS

CONTRACTOR - SPECIALTY

NEOVIA LOGISTICS DISTRIBUTION LP

SAMSUNG WAREHOUSE - RECEIVE/STORE/DISTRIBUTE
HOME APPLIANCES AND ACCESSORIES

NEW SOLUTION MARKETING INC

MARKETING AND CONSULTING COMPANY

OCF DENTAL LAB

DENTAL LABORATORY

PATHWAYS COMMUNITY SERVICES LLC

COMMUNITY BASED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

SGF HOME SERVICES

UPHOLSTERED WALL SERVICES - NOT STATE LICENSED

STOCKTON TELECOM

INSTALL/DECOMM OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIP
(SATELLITE/PHONE/INTERNET)

234 MARTHA PL INC

RENTAL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

AK LINE

TNC DRIVER

CAVA

FAST CASUAL MEDITERRANEAN RESTAURANT

DAILY ENERGY SOLAR

BUSINESS CONSULTANT

EMPIRE WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS

STAFFING AGENCY

EURO CAR CLINIC INC

GENERAL AUTO REPAIR

GS DIAS ACCOUNTING

BOOKKEEPING SERVICES

JDISKMARK.NET

SOFTWARE SPECIALIST

JOY CARGO INC

FREIGHT FORWARDING

NATE'S HOT SAUCE

SHARED KITCHEN - HOT SAUCE PRODUCTION AND
SALES

NY BAGEL FULLERTON

SALES -
BAGELS/SANDWICHES/COFFEE/BEVERAGES

PLOTNIK ENGINEERING LP

CONSULTANT - TRAFFIC
ENGINEERING/TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

PRINT EVERY

E-COMMERCE SALES OF CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES,
AND DIGITAL GOODS

ROXANNE WICKER

FREELANCE GRAPHIC DESIGNER

SNYDER'S TRAVEL CORNER

TRAVEL ADVISOR

SOLEIL LASH

LASH EXTENSIONS/LIFTS/ FACIAL WAX/TREATMENT
/ BROWS

STORM CAPITAL INVESTMENT

PERSONAL STOCK TRADING AND GENERAL
INVESTMENTS

SUBWAY #6349

RESTAURANT/EATING ESTABLISHMENT

T-MOBILE FINANCIAL LLC

RETAIL INSTALLMENT SALES AGREEMENTS -
WIRELESS EQUIPMENT/ACCESSORIES

WHOLESALE NUTRITION CENTER

RETAIL SALES - VITA HEALTH SUPPLEMENTS AND
APPAREL

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



BUILDING AND SAFETY

The Building & Safety Division has officially taken in the plans for the new 3-level open parking structure (approximately 200 stalls) at the Fox Block - 124 East Ellis Pl for plan check.

We are at the final stage of hiring process for the Associate Plan Check Engineer position. This recruitment will provide a stable plan check service and provide answers to code related questions both at the counter and in the backroom.

HOUSING

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

The Housing Team conducted walk throughs and met with property management from the Citrea, City Lights and Klimpel Manor. The intention of the meeting was to introduce the new housing manager, establish communication channels and expectations, inspect the common areas and view current vacancies. The common areas for all three sites appeared well maintained and managed. Furthermore, the Housing team collaborated with Fire Dept (Peggy Castaneda) to address non complainant sprinkler, and emergency light report issues at City Lights and Citrea. The collaboration yielded positive results and violations were resolved.

PLANNING

Planning staff, in conjunction with other city departments, have been holding pre-construction meetings with META Housing in preparation of the start of the Pointe Common residential housing project at 1600 W. Commonwealth Avenue. The 65-unit affordable housing project, to be built on former surplus land located adjacent to the Public Works yard, has been progressing steadily with the applicant working to secure the various financing needed to build the project out. The developer's representative, Ms. Allison Levy, has stated that she expects to start clearing and grading work this summer.

YTD STATS JULY 2023 - PRESENT



PERMITS ISSUED



PLAN CHECKS



INSPECTIONS



PROJECT VALUATION

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

April is an exciting time for small businesses!

- This year, National Small Business week is April 28th to May 4th. The City will continue to highlight local stories and businesses to showcase our diverse community. We look forward to hosting our next Small Business One-Stop-Shop in May as well.
- We encourage our local businesses to register for the SBA's virtual summit: [National Small Business Week Virtual Summit \(virtualtradeshowhosting.com\)](https://virtualtradeshowhosting.com). The 2-day virtual event is free, and includes expert advice, downloadable business resources, and networking opportunities.
- Staff will be joining OCIE SBDC centers on April 25th for the Orange County Minority Business Summit. We will be sharing resources and discussing small business challenges with businesses throughout the OC. We encourage local businesses to RSVP for the event and join us as it is free to attend: [Minority Business Summit Tickets, Thu, Apr 25, 2024 at 10:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)
- Main Street America, in partnership with American Express is offering small business grants. The Backing Small Business program supports small businesses with up to \$10,000 for projects that improve business and build community viability. The 2024 program has more than \$5.7 million available to support businesses throughout the country. Application period is open from March 14th to April 7th, 2024. [Backing Small Businesses - Main Street America](#)
- As a reminder, the City is here to support your business growth and expansion needs. If you are looking for any assistance with permitting, site selection, or connections to financing resources, we can help. Contact us at 714-738-5381.



FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE DEPARTMENT PROMOTIONS

In partnership with the Fullerton Joint Union High School District, the Fullerton Fire Department participated in a district-wide earthquake and evacuation drill with Fullerton High Schools. FJUHSD has campuses in three cities and two counties; FFD supported pre-planning efforts with all agencies, walked through plans on campuses, and “responded” on the day of the drill.

During Spring Break, the Fullerton School District conducted drills on multiple campuses. Fullerton Fire Department responded during a “medical” assist drill at Nicholas Jr. High. Having pre-plans in place ensures that the staff who educate and support our local “scholars,” know how to respond and what to expect during an emergency.

Collaborating with our local partners enables responders and schools to form partnerships on “blue sky” days to be more prepared for a possible “gray sky” day, creating muscle memory and confidence to respond in an emergency.



HUMAN RESOURCES

WHAT WE ARE UP TO NOW:

The following regular recruitments are ongoing:

- Administrative Assistant I/Confidential - testing underway
- Airport Service Worker - filing deadline 4/7/24
- Customer Service Representative Series - filing deadline 4/14/24
- Electrician - Continuous until filled
- Firefighter - testing underway
- Landscape and Tree Manager (promotional) - filing deadline 4/7/24
- Library Technology Assistant - filing deadline 4/14/24
- Maintenance Worker Series - continuous until filled
- Mechanic II - filing deadline 4/7/24
- Police Captain - filing deadline 4/14/24
- Police Dispatcher - Entry Level - Continuous until filled
- Police Dispatcher-Lateral - Continuous until filled
- Skilled Maintenance Worker - Water I/II - filing deadline 4/14/24
- Source Control Inspector - testing underway
- Streets and Sewer Manager (promotional) - filing deadline 4/7/24

WHAT WE ACCOMPLISHED:

Six new regular employees were processed and joined our team!

Community and Economic Development

- Jiyeon Lee - Associate Plan Check Engineer

Police

- Angel Palencia - Police Officer Trainee

Public Works

- Brian Ayala - Senior Maintenance Worker I
- Webster Labrador - Construction Inspector
- Abraham Medina - Senior Maintenance Worker I
- Aaron Zarate - Senior Maintenance Worker I

The following non-regular recruitments are ongoing:

- Homeless Outreach Case Manager (Consultant/Specialist) (open until filled)
- Laborer - filing deadline 4/7/24
- Police Behavioral Health Clinician II (open until filled)

Applications accepted on a continuous basis for non-regular positions:

Community Services Leader Series, Community Services Specialist Series, Fire Department Utility Worker I/II, Library Page, Police Cadet, and Senior Parks and Recreation Specialist Series.




AND WHAT WILL WE DO NEXT?

Upcoming recruitments include:

- Accounting Technician
- Airport Service Worker
- Civil Engineer
- Equipment Mechanic Lead Worker (promotional)
- Maintenance Worker Series
- Manager - Facilities
- Manager - Landscape and Tree (promotional)
- Manager - Streets and Sewer (promotional)
- Parks and Recreation Coordinator
- Police Records Shift Leader
- Principal Civil Engineer
- Principal Civil Engineer - Water
- Senior Civil Engineer
- Skilled Maintenance Worker - Water
- Utility Services Supervisor

We established an **eligibility list** for the positions:

- Code Enforcement Officer
- Police Dispatcher
- Street Supervisor

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- On March 28th from 10am - 12pm, City employees celebrated baseball's Opening Day. Over 160 employees participated in the event while showing support for their favorite team. Here's hoping your team landed on the right side of the scoreboard.
 - The first Wednesday in April is National Walking Day. Employees are encouraged to get out and walk a mile on this day. The American Heart Association sponsors this event to remind everyone about the health benefits of walking.

LIBRARY

FULLERTON PUBLIC LIBRARY VISITS THE EQUUS COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR

On March 13, 2024, out-and-about FPL librarians Deanna White and Emily Elliott were in full outreach mode at the Equus Community Resource Fair in Anaheim. Equus Workforce Solutions staff put together a well-attended event highlighting services and resources available throughout the OC area, and Deanna and Emily were thrilled to share our library resources with attendees and community partners. Attendees showed interest in storytimes, CA Park Passes, Homework Help, Libby, and our upcoming Teen and Adult Services programs. In addition, they were able to make connections with partners serving the homeless community, teens, and rehabilitating youth. The Equus team also provided the Library with a reference copy of their Community Resource Guide for Spring-Summer 2024, now available at the Main Library's Ask Here Desk!



CHILDREN'S LIBRARY STAFF MEMBER (UNOFFICIALLY) REPRESENTS FPL AT THE 39TH ANNUAL LOS ANGELES MARATHON!



On March 17, Children's Page extraordinaire Ana Fierro completed the Los Angeles Marathon's "Stadium to the Stars" course! Drawing more than 25,000 runners, the famous LA Marathon course started at Dodger Stadium and took participants on a spectator-lined 26.2 mile tour through LA's most charming communities—including Los Angeles, Echo Park, Hollywood, West Hollywood, Beverly Hills, Century City, Westwood, and Brentwood—and past some of the city's most iconic landmarks—including El Pueblo de Los Angeles State Historic Park, City Hall, Little Tokyo, the Walt Disney Concert Hall, the Pantages Theatre, the Dolby Theatre, Historic Route 66, and Rodeo Drive—before reaching the exciting Finish Line on Santa Monica Boulevard between Avenue of the Stars and Century Park East. It seems that all that shelving in the Children's Library paid off! We are so proud of Ana for accomplishing this major feat.

LIBRARY

LIBRARY ENLISTS LOCAL ARTIST TO HELP EAGER NEWBIES BRUSH UP ON THEIR SKILLS



On March 21, Library patrons had a fun and relaxing time as they painted away to easy-listening background music and the encouraging guidance of local artist Kat Vidales. Kat is a teacher at Parks Junior High and runs the after school Art Club at the school. Her artwork—featuring acrylic paintings of her chickens dressed in hats and necklaces—can be found at the Fullerton Market and Fullerton Museum. Some of the registrants who come out to paint were familiar faces from the Friends of the Fullerton Public Library and all reported that they had a blast! As we artists say, if it paint broke, don't fix it.

MYSTERY DATE WITH A BOOK WINNER!

While our Mystery Date with a Book program has once again finished on a sweet note, the library love continues! Congratulations to our raffle winner, Lindsay, who said that her favorite part of this program was that it prevented her from judging a book by its cover. Between February 1 and March 9th, participants were invited to check out a wrapped book from our lobby display and, after a reading rendezvous, rate their “dates” with our special review slips. This year we “set up” 189 mystery dates! Thanks as always to the Friends of the Library for supporting our literary matchmaking!





PARKS AND RECREATION

FULLERTON COMMUNITY CENTER



A SCAN COMMUNITY SERVICE.



presents

Stop Falling! Home Safety and Preventing Falls and Injuries

Did you know that 1 out of every 4 people over 65 will have a fall this year? Injuries related to falls, like broken hips and head trauma, lead to emergency room visits, hospital stays and even nursing home placement. That's the bad news. The GOOD news is that falls are PREVENTABLE! This program will help you to identify falls risks in your life.

Monday, April 15th

11:30 AM - 12:30PM



To register, please call the Fullerton Community Center at (714) 738-6575 or reach us at our front desk.

Laughter Yoga

Presented by SCAN

Wednesday, April 10

10 AM - 11 AM



Stop Falling! Home Safety and Preventing Falls and Injuries

Presented by SCAN

Monday, April 15

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM



Do you have enough laughter in your life? Did you know that you can turn laughing into exercise? Join us for Laughter Yoga where we will combine laughter with yoga breathing to make exercise fun! Yoga mats are not required, as exercises are conducted in chairs. Feel free to invite a friend!

LAUGHTER YOGA

Wednesday, April 10th
10:00AM - 11:00AM

Presented By:



To register, please visit our front desk or call (714) 738 - 6575



PARKS AND RECREATION

FULLERTON COMMUNITY
CENTER



Spring Break
Art Camp was
a tremendous
success.
Completely
sold out!



Spring Break Art Camp



Revenue: 15 participants
\$1,350

Happened on March 18th
- March 22nd 9:00am -
12:00pm for ages 5-12 at
the Red Cross Building
led by our own staff
Aimee Aul and Naomi
Gomez.



SPECIAL EVENTS



SPRING EGGSTRAVAGANZA



Our Spring Eggstravaganza was a complete success with all egg hunt time slots selling out!

At the event, all vendors sold out their products, ticket sales were nearly \$2,000, and families were happy as can be! Thank you to everyone who made this event possible!



SPECIAL EVENTS



HUNT BRANCH LIBRARY

GRAND REOPENING

Join us in celebrating the grand reopening of the Hunt Branch Library. Experience the unveiling of our newly revitalized space, where history meets modern innovation. Join us as we come together to honor the legacy and future of our community's hub for knowledge and connection.

SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH
10 AM - 2 PM
201 S BASQUE AVE,
FULLERTON, CA 92833

Your presence will grace the event and inspire our shared commitment to lifelong learning. Please RSVP at huntevents@cityfullerton.com. For inquiries, contact 714-738-6575.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Health & Wellness
Fair



Join us for the
**Annual
Health &
Wellness Fair**

Saturday, April 20
10AM-1PM

Nutrition & Fitness Trends

Family & Mental Health

Interactive Workshops

Medical Insurance

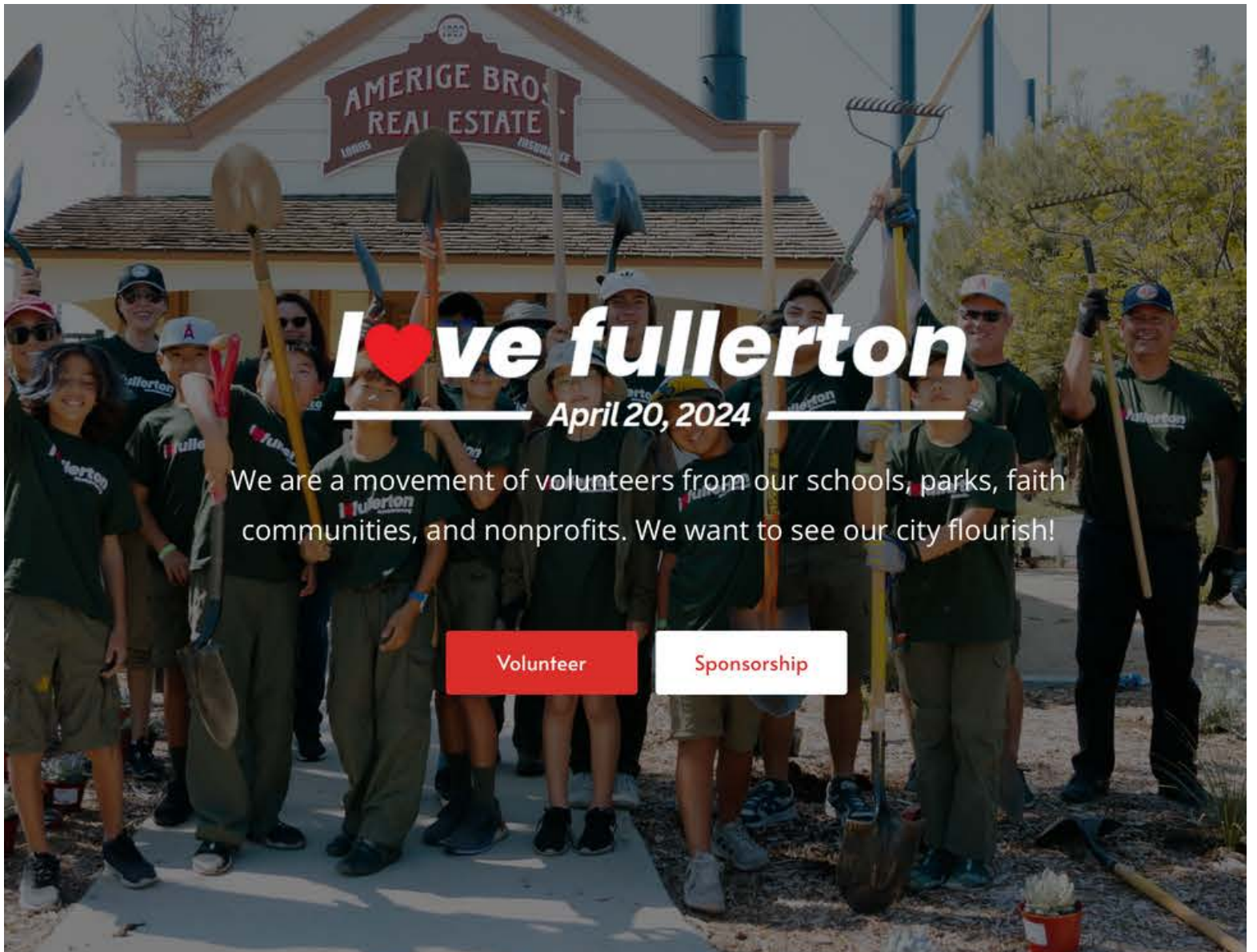
Raffle Prizes

and More!

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PARKS & RECREATION

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www.cityoffullerton.com/cityevents
340 W. Commonwealth Ave.
Fullerton 92832

SPECIAL EVENTS



We are a movement of volunteers from our schools, parks, faith communities, and nonprofits. We want to see our city flourish!

Volunteer

Sponsorship

❤️ LOVE FULLERTON ❤️

Love Fullerton will take place on April 20th, 2024. All residents and friends of Fullerton are encouraged to join this volunteer opportunity to help make Fullerton a better place. To join this philanthropic movement, please [click here](#).

POLICE DEPARTMENT

AWARDS AND PROMOTION CEREMONY



On March 11th, Fullerton PD held its annual Awards and Promotional Ceremony. The Association of Orange County's Sheriff's Pipe Band started the ceremony, followed by the presentation of colors by the Fullerton Police Honor Guard. Newly appointed Chief Radus was then sworn in by Mayor Nick Dunlap.

Chief Radus was proud to recognize our employees' hard work and accomplishments. He presented various medals, including the Life Saving Award, Distinguished Service Award, and Medal of Merit.

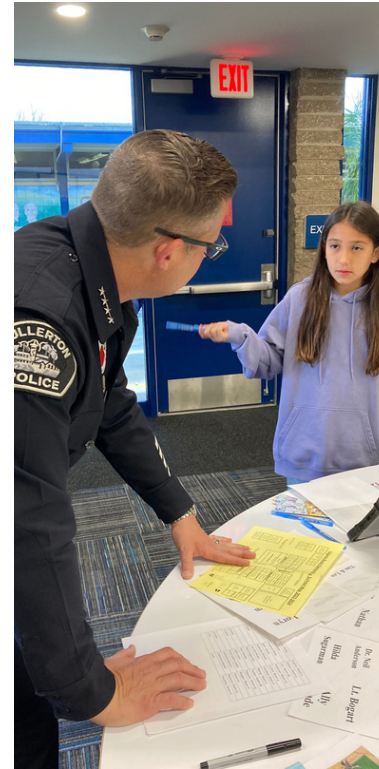
Fullerton PD recognized several sworn and civilian promotions throughout the department, as well as new appointments.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

READ ACROSS AMERICA

On March 13th, Chief Radus, Lt Kandler, and other FPD Officers attended Day Of The Reader at Laguna Road Elementary. Each officer read a book to a classroom and answered some questions from the students. What's your favorite book?



On March 8th, FPD Officers attended Family Literacy Night at Orangethorpe Elementary. We loved reading with all the families while they enjoyed delicious hot chocolate and cookies.



WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH



Women's History Month is a celebration of women's contributions to history, culture, and society and is observed annually in March.

In honor of this month, FPD is highlighting our first female Police Officer. Officer Geraldine K. Gregory came to Fullerton in 1959 after thirteen years with the Philadelphia Police, where she held the rank of Lieutenant. At Fullerton, she was assigned to the Investigation Division, and her principal duties involved the handling of juvenile and adult female prisoners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

EVENTS

On March 27th, FPD held a Coffee with a Cop: Chat with the Chief event. Everyone had a great time chatting with FPD newly appoint Chief of Police.



MARCH 2024

total calls

The Fullerton Police Department received 14,492 phone calls for the Month of February.



911 calls

The Fullerton Police Department received 3,612 emergency 911 calls for the Month of February.



contacts

The Fullerton Police Department made 2,486 self-initiated contacts for the Month of February.



calls for service

The Fullerton Police Department responded to 3,409 calls for service for the month of February.



FULLERTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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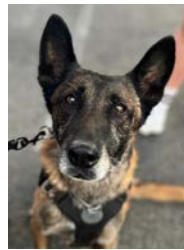
RETIREMENT



Fullerton Police K-9 Titan retired after seven years of dedicated service to the FPD and the Fullerton community. Titan is a 8-year-old Belgian Malinois who served with his Handler, Corporal Green.

During his career, Titan had over 700 deployments, including a hundreds pounds of narcotics seized, hundreds of thousands of dollars related to narcotics seized, over 150 surrenders, and numerous felony apprehensions.

When Titan was not fighting crime, he was an ambassador for the FPD. He has participated in community programs such as the OC Grip and National Night Out, as well as other presentations and demonstrations for Fullerton's Citizen Police Academy, Cookies and Canines, Fullerton's annual open house, and both the Orange County and Fullerton Police Canine Associations.



K-9 Titan and his handler have been an incredible asset to the Fullerton Police Department. Their partnership has proven to be a bond that honed both of their skills as police officers and a canine team. After an outstanding career as a Fullerton Police K-9, Titan will retire with Corporal Green and his family. Thank you for your service, Titan.

HIRING



JOIN _____
FULLERTON POLICE
_____ DEPARTMENT 



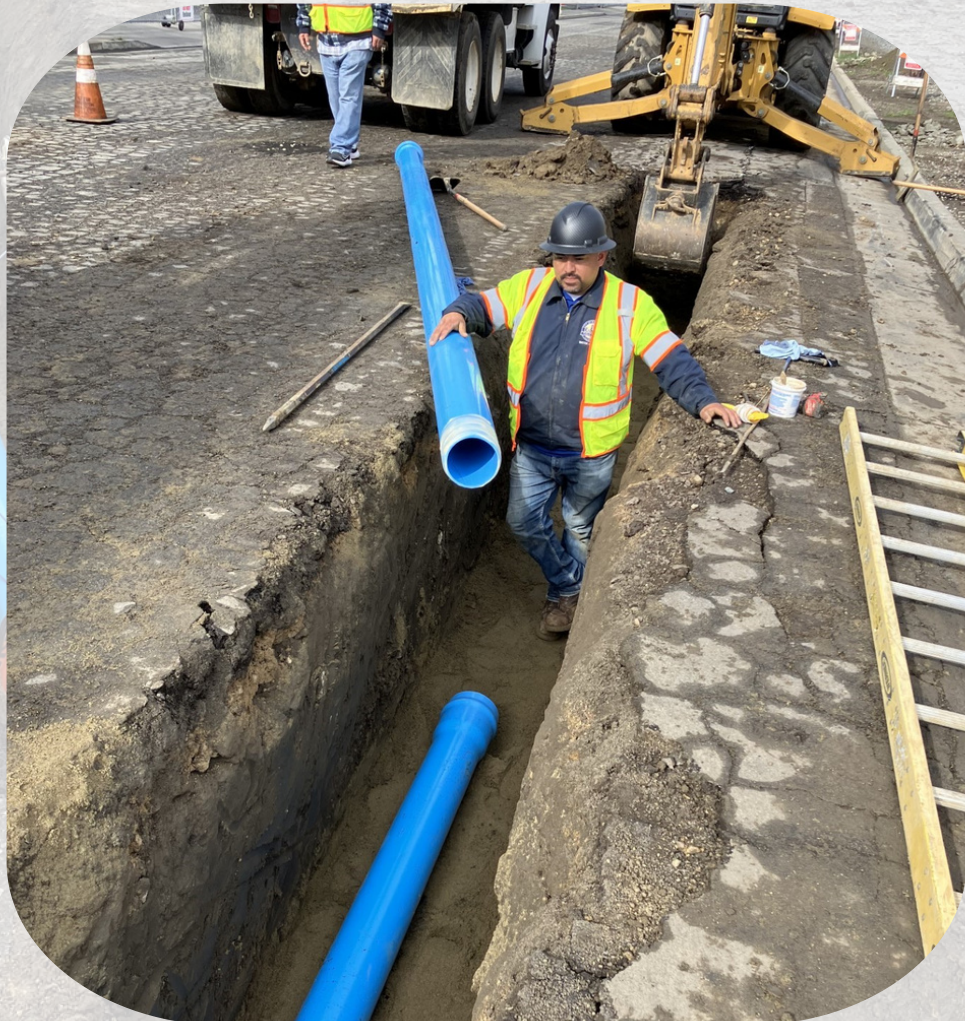
The Fullerton Police Department is currenting accepting applications for Lateral/Academy Trained Police Officers, Lateral Police Dispatcher and Police Dispatcher. Join our team and apply today!



PUBLIC WORKS

BASQUE AVENUE PROJECT

The Water Division is delighted to announce the successful completion of the Capital Improvement Project on Basque Avenue. City Staff installed over 250 feet of 6" water main pipe, a fire hydrant lateral with fire hydrant assembly, and two 6" gate valves. This project was of great significance as it was the Division's first undertaking of new pipe installation in over 20 years. Despite being new to the process, they were able to successfully complete every stage of this project, from excavation to delivery, while strictly adhering to all of the City's New Water Main Installation Standards. This achievement is important for the Division as they now boast of having the technical capacity to keep similar projects in-house, a move that will help shift future capital investments to more urgent needs. We are indeed proud of this accomplishment and believe it is a significant contribution towards ensuring the provision of reliable water service to our community!





PUBLIC WORKS

NEW REPLACEMENT VEHICLES: INCREASED SAFETY & INNOVATION

The Equipment Division is responsible for managing the City's Vehicle Replacement Program to replace obsolete equipment. As part of the program, they recently obtained two replacement vehicles for the Water and Streets Divisions.



Unit 580 is a new Patch Truck that is an essential piece of equipment for maintaining city streets and alleys. This vehicle is self-sufficient and designed to assist with filling potholes and performing small to medium patches. It can be operated with either a 2-person crew for potholes or 3-person crew if using the roller and truck for larger patches. The truck has a 5-ton hot box which keeps the asphalt material hot and an emulsion tank to spray emulsion to allow the asphalt to adhere to the surface. This vehicle has strobe warning lights and arrow sticks which improve safety when performing repairs by making it more visible on arterial or residential streets. The new Patch Truck will help to prolong the life of the streets citywide.

Unit 581, the new Fire Hydrant Maintenance Service Truck, is a highly specialized vehicle designed to service over 4,500 system fire hydrants and respond to emergency calls such as fire hydrant knockoffs. This vehicle boasts several features that make it a reliable choice for maintaining fire hydrants, including an arrow board, light package, and a heavy-duty crane. The light package and arrow board make it possible to work safely in low light conditions and high traffic areas. The heavy-duty crane has ample lifting capacity to make maintenance and repairs quick and easy for as little as one employee. This allows us to be more efficient with our daily workload and emergency responses. All these features make Unit 581 a smart investment for the City as we strive to maintain fire hydrants with efficiency and safety in mind.

TRAFFIC ENGINEERING UPDATES

Staff recently worked to complete various minor citywide signing and striping improvements. Several locations were identified and plans were prepared to update these locations to current City Standards.

Improvements included the following:

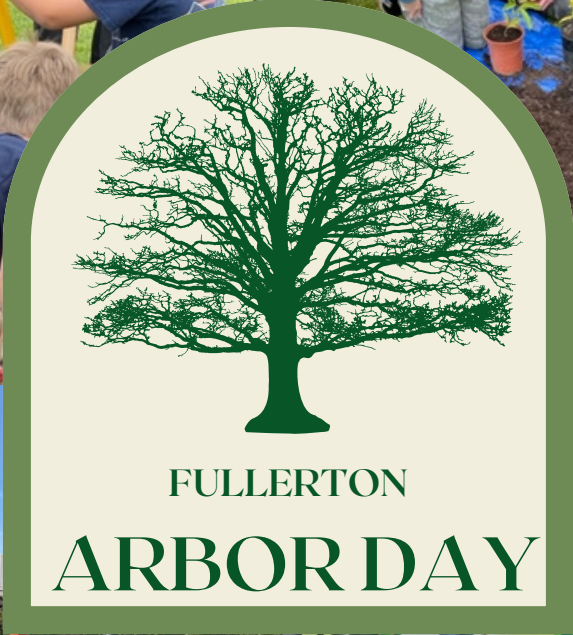
- Installation of yield markings and signage at existing midblock crosswalks.
- Installation of additional striping and markings at select intersections.
- Removal of the crosswalk and existing signage at Chapman Avenue and Hart Place.

Staff continues to oversee the final stages of the Orangethorpe Ave Regional Traffic Signal Synchronization Program construction. Equipment has been upgraded at several intersections and new timing has been implemented at every signalized intersection along Orangethorpe Ave. Currently, observations have shown a 19% reduction in average travel times along the corridor after the implementation of new timing. Staff will continue to coordinate with its consultants and monitor the corridor.





PUBLIC WORKS



EMERY PARK

April 6th
9 A.M. - 12 P.M.

Scan the QR code to learn more





PUBLIC WORKS

WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECTS

The City operates more than 420 miles of pipe and supplies over 8 billion gallons of water annually. Most of these pipes were installed in the 1950s and 1960s, so Water Engineering Staff continuously work on replacing aged and damaged water main pipes throughout the City. Projects completed and in process are listed below, and you can check out our [Capital Improvement Program Map](#) to see the locations of current projects citywide.

Completed over the past year: 5.19 miles

- Hidden Lakes Area: 0.82 miles
- Associated (Rolling Hills to Imperial): 0.53 miles
- Orangethorpe (Harbor to Lemon): 0.27 miles
- Hermosa Area: 1.56 miles
- Glenwood-Ford Area: 2.01 miles

Projects currently in construction: 4.23 miles

- Marion Area: 1.61 miles (Est completed: May 2024)
- Various Miscellaneous Locations: 1.57 miles (Est complete: May 2024)
- Rancho-Verona Area: 1.05 miles (Est complete: Aug 2024)

Projects recently awarded: 1.31 miles

- Crown Area: 0.49 miles (Est start: mid-April 2024)
- Hollydale Area: 0.82 miles (Est start: May 2024)

Projects out for bid: 0.86 miles

- Euclid and Rosecrans: 0.65 miles

Projects in design: 3.83 miles (expected to be awarded this FY)

- Firethorne Area: 0.86 miles
- Candlewood Area: 0.71 miles
- Sunny Hills-Twilight Area: 2.26 miles

Other projects in design: 6.92 miles

- S Raymond Cul-de-sacs: 0.77 miles
- Cannon-Sheppard Area: 0.84 miles
- Gregory Area: 1.47 miles
- Coronado Area: 0.58 miles
- Maplewood Area: 2.14 miles
- Courtney-Ash Area: 1.12 miles



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