

All Fireworks are Prohibited in the City of Bradbury !

Bradbury News

Welcome to Bradbury



June/July 2015

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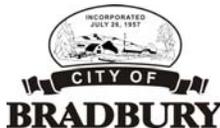
Do you know what's happening in your community? Do you know the City of Bradbury has multiple ways for you to get an update on community activities and emergency information?

- ⇒ Visit the city's website at www.cityofbradbury.org
- ⇒ Sign-up for Nextdoor—Bradbury
- ⇒ Sign-up for Connect CTY
- ⇒ Ask to be put on the e-blast list

Staying connected to your community helps you learn about important information affecting you as a resident or property owner. You can get information about emergencies, activities, events and issues important to you.

It can help you meet your neighbors and develop your community with people who care about Bradbury and preserving this wonderful community.

For questions call City Hall 626-358-3218, we are here to help.



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CITY HALL CLOSURES

Due to holidays and the First Friday closures City Hall will not be open:

☆ Friday, June 5

☆ Friday, July 3 for Independence Day

During these closure periods, resources can be found on the City's website at www.cityofbradbury.org.



Fourth of July & Firework Safety

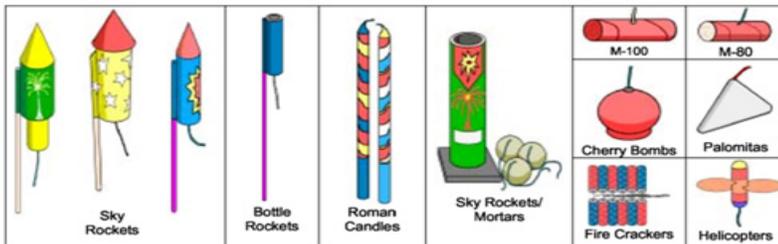
Fireworks are often a part of special times like the 4th of July and New Year's Eve but they can be dangerous. Whenever you celebrate, learn how to protect yourself and those you care about from fireworks-related injuries. The risk of injury or death is elevated when using any type of fireworks. Even fireworks labeled as "Safe and Sane" can burn you, or even kill you. Fireworks account for two out of five fires, more than any other cause of fires.

Fireworks are Prohibited in the City of Bradbury !

Illegal Fireworks

Any item that explodes, rises in the air, moves about the ground, or which are not approved and labeled "Safe and Sane" by the State Fire Marshal, is illegal in California.

Stay safe Visit a local professional fireworks show!



For more helpful tips, follow us on

Facebook & Twitter

Facebook.com/LACoFD



Los Angeles County
Sheriff's Department

See Something! Say Something!

There are stories all over the news of folks reporting mail and packages being stolen from their front porch. Law enforcement agencies have reported thieves sometimes follow delivery trucks around, and when a package gets dropped off – they swoop in a few minutes later and swipe it. There are some precautions you can take to make sure thieves do not get to your deliveries before you do.

- Always make arrangements with neighbors/relatives if you know you won't be home when a package arrives.
- If you can, have packages shipped to a location where someone will be available, like a relative's home or at work.
- You can also leave special instructions for the carrier to leave the package with a neighbor or in another secure location.
- You can also require a signature on all package deliveries.
- The USPS recommends to insure the package. A couple of dollars in insurance can go a long way.
- Some companies offer a free tracking service that will send you an email/phone alert when your package is going to be delivered. FedEx also allows you to redirect a package to another address if you know you won't be home at the time of delivery.

If you ever have a package stolen, please file a report by calling Temple Sheriff Station at (626) 448-9861 or (626) 285-7171 and call the shipper immediately. Chances are unless you insured your package, you're out of luck.

Foothill Unity Back to School Drive !

Bradbury is partnering with the Foothill Unity Center to collect new school supplies needed for local low-income kids. Supplies needed include:

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| New backpacks | 3-ring binders | Crayons (24 ct.) |
| Single spiral notebooks | Glue sticks/glue | Erasers |
| Pencil sharpeners | Colored pencils | 12" rulers |
| Calculators | Highlighters | Color markers |
| Scissors | Ballpoint pens | |



Donations will be accepted at Bradbury City Hall between **NOW and July 22nd**. Collected supplies will be distributed to pre-registered children of qualified low-income families at the Annual Back to School event at the Santa Anita Park Race Track. For more information, please contact Foothill Unity Center (626) 358-3486.



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Volunteer 4 Emergency Response Committee !

The City is looking for motivated, enthusiastic, creative, and friendly volunteers to serve on the Emergency Response Committee. The ERC is a ten-member advisory body to the Bradbury City Council. The ERC is responsible for advising on the welfare and safety of the City. The ERC Committee serves as a communication link between the community, City Council, and staff regarding issues pertaining to Emergency Preparedness and Response. Members of the Committee are hands-on volunteers who assist in the emergency operations and in the programs and services offered to the community and in the event of an emergency serve as the district representative on emergency related issues. For more information please visit www.cityofbradbury.org **If you are interested please call City Hall (626) 358-3218**

Important Phone Numbers

Emergency	911	LA County Sheriff	285-7171	Fire Station 44	358-3118
Southern CA Edison	800-655-4555	So Cal Gas	800-551-8463		
Burrtec	800-325-9417	Pasadena Humane Society	792-7151		



Preserving Rural Tranquility

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City Hall Hours

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Building Department Hours

Mon, Tues, Thurs 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Email: cityhall@cityofbradbury.org

(626) 358-3218

Dates to Remember for June & July

- June 5 - City Hall Closed
- June 16 - 7:00 PM City Council Meeting
- June 24 - 7:00 PM Planning Commission Meeting
- July 3 - City Hall Closed for Independence Day
- July 21 - 7:00 PM City Council Meeting
- July 22- 7:00 PM Planning Commission Meeting

Planning Commission

Chairperson Bill Novodor, District 2

Vice-Chair Susan Esparza, District 4

Frank Hernandez, District 1

Karen Dunst, District 5

Darlene Kuba, District 3

City Treasurer

Laurie Stiver

Staff

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Claudia Saldana, City Clerk

Julio Donayre, Management Analyst

Cary Reisman, City Attorney

Anne McIntosh, City Planner

Dominic Milano, City Engineer

Stephen Fagan, Building Inspector

City Council Meeting Highlights & Items to Come

Please call City Hall at 358-3218 if you have any questions. *The following agenda items are tentative and subject to change until posted at the City Hall entrance gate on the Friday before the meeting.*

The City Council took the following actions on May 19:

- Discussion of Proposed Budget for FY 15-16
- Discussed proposal of Water Conservation Ordinance
- May Legislative Update
- First reading of Ordinance 340 permitting Procedures for Small Residential Solar Rooftop Installation
- Approved Agreement with Gateway Water Management Authority for Cost Sharing and Installation of Monitoring Equipment and Monitoring Pursuant to the Harbor Toxic Pollutants TMDL

REMINDER: *All Agendas are posted on the City's website for viewing the Friday before the meeting. Visit at www.cityofbradbury.org*

Tentative City Council Items for Tuesday,

June 16 at 7:00 PM

- Approval of the Budget for FY 2015-16 GANN limit
- Burrtec Rate Adjustment
- Water Conservation Ordinance

REMINDER



To enhance service to residents agendas, minutes, newsletters and more are all on-line at www.cityofbradbury.org