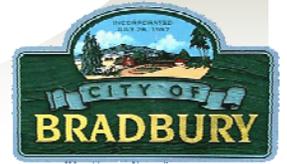


Bradbury News



February 2012

Volunteer in Bradbury! Join the General Plan Steering Committee



Welcome to Bradbury

The City of Bradbury is beginning the process of updating its General Plan, which will guide land use and policy making for the next 15 years. It is envisioned that the General Plan Steering Committee will be made up of various stakeholders from the community and will provide assistance in making recommendations to the Planning Commission regarding the General Plan Update. The General Plan Steering Committee will provide the City's decision makers, city staff and consultants with the insight that only residents can offer regarding land use and development issues in Bradbury. Become a valuable

voice for Bradbury's future...join the General Plan Steering Committee today!

For more information please visit: http://cityofbradbury.org/images/stories/join_the_GPSC_team.pdf or call City Hall at (626) 358-3218.

Field Visit from Congressman Dreier's Office

On Thursday, February 23 from 9 AM until noon, a staff representative from Congressman David Dreier's San Dimas office will be on hand to meet with the residents of Bradbury who may have a question regarding the Federal Government, programs or services. Constituents are encouraged to bring along all letters and records pertinent to the matter they would like to discuss. Congressman Dreier's San Dimas District office can also be reached by calling (909) 575-6226 or (888) 906-2626.

Report Suspicious Activity to the Sherriff Department

The City of Bradbury does not allow Peddlers and Solicitors per Bradbury Municipal Code Article IV Chapter 4 4140. The BMC states "No person shall go upon any private premises within the City for the purpose of selling any goods, wares, merchandise, services or other thing of value for the purpose of soliciting or taking orders for any goods, wares, merchandise, services or other thing of value, unless the occupant of said premises specifically has requested the presence of such person upon such premises for such purpose." If you see such persons please notify the Sherriff's Department.



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Fourth Annual Hay-den 5K Run, Family Walk, & Roll

Run Fast, Walk Hard, and enjoy... join us for a 5k run and great deal of fun activities through-out the day! The day begins with a 5k run/walk and awards ceremony. Through-out the morning and early after-noon, all who come are invited to enjoy our ven-dor fair, games, activities, food and entertainment. This event is an expres-sion of Hayden Child Care Center's mission by providing families the opportunity to take part in a wholesome event together. All net-ted funds will benefit Hayden Child Care Center.

5k Participants: All are welcome! The Hayden 5k is a fun, challeng-ing event for professional and/or novice runners as well as families, teams, and individual walkers. The Hayden 5k is unique because of its broad spectrum of participants. This 5k brings people of all ages and abilities to run, walk, or roll (wheelchair or stroller) in this real and competitive timed race. The 5k promotes a healthy lifestyle, sparks competition, and builds camaraderie. The Race will begin near the corner of Royal Oaks Drive and Buena Vista Street in Du-arte. Runners will run east toward Royal Oaks Park and loop back to the fin-ish line at Santa Teresita.

As the starting horn blows, the runners will head east on Royal Oaks Drive, a scenic street lined with lush greenery and quaint homes, until Royal Oaks North where they will get onto the Duarte Bike Trail and contin-uing to run east until reaching the turn-about and loop back toward the finish line at Santa Teresita Cam-pus on the Duarte Recreation Trail. This trail is popular with runners and power walkers alike for its accessi-bility and beauty. It is paved and flanked by the wild flower covered hills of the San Gabriel Moun-tains to the north. This 1.6 mile Duarte Recreational Trail runs mainly through a residen-tial area with horses, trees and plenty of shade. This year we are happy to announce that the race sur-face is com-pletely paved.

Fore more information visit <http://haydenchildcare.com/hayden5k/>

BRADBURY RESIDENTS—*Please note due to the event there will be temporary road closures on Mount Olive Drive accessing Royal Oaks Drive and access from Royal Oaks Drive North to Royal Oaks Drive during the event from 9:00 am to 10:30 am.*



Flex Your Path – Save Money



The Los Angeles County is pleased to introduce Flex Path! This program offers a \$1,500 incentive to homeowners. By completing qualifying retrofits, you can increase your home’s energy efficiency, improve comfort, and lower your utility bills. Qualifying measures for this incentive include all of the following: air sealing, attic insulation, duct sealing, hot water pipe insulation, thermostat shut-off valve, and installation of carbon monoxide monitors. By completing these six measure, you can qualify for the incentive rebate and possibly reduce your energy consumption by an average of 10%! If you are performing home-upgrades, make sure you take full advantage of this and other incentive offers. For further information on this rebate, please go to www.EnergyUpgradeCA.org/LAFlex

Resolve to be Ready!



For 2012, FEMA has developed a program, *Resolve to be Ready*, for emergencies so that you can take simple steps to prepare your family, your home, your business, and your community in the face of potential disaster. Now is the time to think about basic and individualized needs you, your family, your pets and service animals will need in advance of an emergency. The more you know about what to do in an emergency, the more confident and secure you will feel in your abilities to manage through a disaster. Start by taking these simple steps:

- **Be informed:** Know the hazards and risks in your area and learn how to prepare for them
- **Make a family emergency plan:** Know where to evacuate and how you would communicate with loved ones should a disaster hit.
- **Build an emergency supply kit:** both at home and in your car—that includes water, food and first aid supplies to help you survive if you lose power or get stranded in your car.
- **Get Involved:** Be an advocate and educator for safety and emergency preparedness. Join Bradbury’s Emergency Response Committee to ensure the safety of both yourself and your neighbors.

For more information on FEMA’s *Resolve to be Ready*, visit www.Ready.org. For more information on the City of Bradbury’s Emergency Response Committee, contact Kevin Kearney in City Hall at (626) 358-3218.



Important Phone Numbers

Emergency	911	LA County Sheriff	448-9861	Fire Station 44	358-3118
Animal Control	962-3577	Southern CA Edison	800-655-4555	So Cal Gas	800-551-8463
Burrtec	800-325-9417	Mosquito & Vector Control	814-9466	Time Warner Cable	888-twcable
Dept. Fish & Game	909-484-0167				



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Building Department Hours

M, W, T 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

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Dates to Remember for January

- February 3 - City Hall Closed for New Year's Day
- February 16 - Emergency Response Committee 7:00 PM Civic Center
- February 20 - City Hall Closed for President's Day
- February 21 - 7:00 PM City Council Meeting
- February 22 - 7:00 PM Planning Commission

Planning Commission

Chairperson Karen Dunst, District 5

Vice-Chair Bill Novodor, District 2

vacant, District 4

Darlene Kuba, District 3

Frank Hernandez, District 1

City Treasurer

Laurie Stiver

Staff

Michelle Keith, City Manager

Claudia Saldana, City Clerk

Kevin Kearney, Management Analyst

Cary Reisman, City Attorney

David Meyer, 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 January 17th:

- Adopted by Second Reading Ordinance No. 323
- Updates to the City Conflict of Interest Code
- Determined to form a General Plan Steering Committee with 2 City Councilmembers, Planning Commissioners and the Public. City Council appointed Mayor Pro Tem Lathrop and City Councilman Hale.
- Update the City's Film Guidelines to protect the interest of the public and streamline the process
- Long-term Revenue Solutions or Cost-saving ideas to Reduce Taxes in Bradbury for sustainable viability

Tentative City Council Items for Tuesday,

February 22nd at 7:00 PM

- Civic Center Fence review & options for moving forward
- General Plan Steering Committee Report – appointments
- 172 Bliss Canyon Bond release
- Appointment of Planning Commissioner for District 4
- Closed Session – Annual review of City Attorney
- Quarterly Financial Review

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