

BRADBURY NEWS

March 2011



Santa Teresita 3rd Annual Hayden Memorial 5K Run, Family Walk & Roll Set for March 12

Everyone is invited to participate in the 3rd annual Hayden Memorial 5K Run, Family Walk & Roll sponsored by the non-profit Hayden Child Care Center at Santa Teresita. Participants are invited to register online at www.hayden5k.com. All proceeds from the event benefit the Hayden Child Care Center. The 5k Run begins at 9 a.m., off the campus of Santa Teresita, just east of Buena Vista St. on Royal Oaks Dr., followed by participants in the family fun run, walk and roll. A special children's fun run starts at 10:30 a.m. The first half of the fully paved 5k course will take participants east on Royal Oaks Dr. At Royal Oaks School runners will loop back toward the finish line at Santa Teresita on the Duarte Recreational Trail. **As a result of using the paved Royal Oaks Drive this year the street will be shut down from 8:30 am to 10:30 am for the event and folks will not be able to exit off of Royal Oaks Drive North until the event has been completed.** Following the racing competition, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., the public is invited to attend the Family Fitness Festival in Santa Teresita's southeast parking lot area, 819 Buena Vista St., where there will be games, free health screenings, food, and entertainment. The Hayden Child Care Center assists families in the spiritual, social, and academic formation of children, providing pre-school and kindergarten education. For more information call (626) 359-9592.



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Save the Date!

Grand Reopening & Open House

City of Bradbury Civic Center

600 Winston Avenue
Bradbury, CA 91008

Thursday, April 7, 2011
5:00 - 7:00 pm

The Bradbury City Council invites you to join them for a dedication ceremony of the new Bradbury Civic Center followed by an Open House featuring conservation programs & rebates to show you how to Save the Earth & Save Money

Sponsors



For more information:

626.358.3218

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REMINDER

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





Opportunities to Get Involved



At-Large Volunteers Wanted for Beautification Committee

The City of Bradbury is accepting applications for volunteers from the overall community to serve on the City's Beautification Committee. The Committee was established to assist with promoting beautification of the City through various programs, including the community's new annual Beautification Awards program, trail maintenance programs and overall community pride. The Committee meets as needed. Applications are available with the City Clerk at City Hall, 600 Winston Ave. or on the City's website at www.cityofbradbury.org. The City will accept applications by mail, fax or email. Each member selected will serve a two year term. Committee members are at-large and not by District, so take this opportunity to get involved in your community!

For more information about this Committee please contact Management Analyst Jeremiah Petsas at City Hall at 626.358.3218.

DUSD Measure E Oversight Committee

The Board of Education of the Duarte Unified School District is seeking qualified, interested individuals to serve on a committee of community leaders which will serve as the independent Citizens' Oversight Committee ("COC") for the implementation of the District's Measure E School Facilities Bond Program. On November 2, 2010, voters within the Duarte Unified School District passed Measure E, a \$62 million bond measure that authorizes funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects to the District's schools.

The Committee application is available through the DUSD website (see link below). The deadline for applications is March 11th at 4:30 p.m.

<http://www.duarte.k12.ca.us/PDF/Board/COC%20App%20and%20Bylaws.pdf>

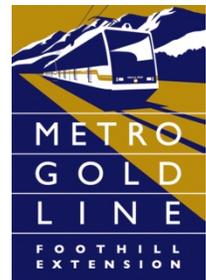
Foothill Extension Updates

Pasadena to Azusa – In late 2010, the design team received important approvals from Caltrans for the 584-linear foot bridge to be built over the I-210 Freeway near Santa Anita Avenue (the critical, first component of the project that will allow connection between the existing Sierra Madre Villa station in Pasadena and the future Arcadia station). Now, the design team is working on finalizing design and preparing for pre-construction. Work on the bridge may begin as early as late Spring. The team recently received approval to start work earlier than summer on the footings for the bridge.

Additionally, proposals were received in late January for the contract to finalize design and construct the 11.5 miles of track, stations, crossings, maintenance facility, utilities and more. Three teams, short-listed last year, are vying for the contract. The contract award is anticipated in April 2011 with construction commencing in 2012.

Azusa to Montclair – Four public scoping meetings were held in mid-January, kicking off a fresh environmental review for the 12.6-mile extension of the line from Azusa to Montclair. The study will review the project and assess the impacts of the project on traffic and congestion, land use, aesthetics, air quality, noise and vibration and much more. The findings will be summarized in a Draft Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report, which will be ready for community review in mid-summer 2011. Completion of the environmental process is the last required step in the planning process for the project, readying it for funding and construction.

Want to know more or sign up to receive updates? Visit www.foothillextension.org.



City Council Meeting Highlights & Items to Come

MEETINGS START AT 7:00 PM



The City Council met on February 15th and took the following actions:

- Adopted Ordinance No. 319 adopting and approving Los Angeles County versions of the 2010 California Building, Electrical, Plumbing, Mechanical, Fire, Residential, Housing and Health Codes & Green Building Standards Code
- Held a Public Hearing regarding the 2011-2012 CDBG (Community Development Block Grant) Program
- Approved the Annual Audit for Fiscal Year 2009-2010
- Approved the Burrtec Waste Services Contract Amendment #3
- Appointed Susan Esparza to the Emergency Response Committee for District 4
- Determined the Beautification Committee should be at-large and not by District (see page 2 to volunteer)
- Selected the firm of Colantuono & Levin for Special Legal Counsel during the 2011 Redistricting
- Opted not to support the LA County Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Service Authority at this time

TENTATIVE CITY COUNCIL ITEMS FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 15TH AT 7:00 PM

- Award of Bid for the Mount Olive Drive Pavement Resurfacing Project
- DUSD Presentation on the State of the District
- Mid-Year Budget Review and City's Fiscal Challenges
- Civic Center Front Landscape Options
- Emergency Operations Plan - approval of four new sections
- Reciprocal Agreement Between the City of Bradbury and the Franchise Tax Board
- Approval of a Resolution Declaring Surplus Property
- Award of Street Sweeping Contract
- Closed Session - Evaluation of the City Manager

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.*

Fire Safety Tip

Candles may be pretty to look at but they can cause home fires and deaths. Remember, a candle is an open flame, which means that it can easily ignite anything that can burn. Blow out all candles when you leave the room or go to bed. Avoid the use of candles in the bedroom and other areas where people may fall asleep. Keep candles at least 12 inches away from anything that can burn. If you do burn candles, make sure that you...

- Use candle holders that are sturdy and won't tip over easily. Put holders on a sturdy, uncluttered surface.
- Light candles carefully. Keep your hair and any loose clothing away from the flame.
- Don't burn a candle all the way down; put it out before it gets too close to the container.
- Never use candle if oxygen is used in the home.

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Dates to Remember for March

- March 4, City Hall Closed for furlough
- March 12 - SMART Gardening at 10 am at Mt. Olive Alternative School
- March 15, 7:00 PM City Council Meeting
- March 23, 7:00 PM Planning Commission Meeting
- March 24, 7:00 PM Emergency Response Committee. Location TBD

City Hall Hours

Monday through Friday

8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Building Department Hours

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

Email: cityhall@cityofbradbury.org

(626) 358-3218

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Important Phone Numbers

Emergency	911
LA County Sheriff	448-9861
Fire Station 44	358-3118
Bradbury City Hall	358-3218
Animal Control	962-3577
SC Edison	800-655-4555
So Cal Gas	800-551-8463
Burrtec Waste Services	800-325-9417
Mosquito & Vector Control	814-9466
Time Warner Cable	888-twcable
Dept. Fish & Game	909-484-0167

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