



GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

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Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by contacting us at: district4@longbeach.gov.



- Councilman Daryl Supernaw

Hot Topics

Community Hospital Update

On Tuesday, I toured Community Hospital in anticipation of the immediate reopening due to the COVID-19 emergency. I was able to see, first-hand, the level of readiness, and I checked out the main elevators. Our office has allocated one-time funding for elevator repair that will include: full door packages with tracks and door operators, fixture replacement including the car operating panel, hall fixtures and position indicators. All these upgrades will provide increased reliability for the anticipated increased use. I also toured the pharmacy where the technicians were very happy with the upgrades to the air conditioning system. With the hospital's partial opening to accept transfer patients, the next step will be to get the Emergency Room opened as soon as possible.





COVID-19 Updates

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update

By the Numbers (As of April 2, 2020):

- 153 positive results, including approximately 38* cases where people have recovered.
 - A total of two deaths have now been reported. The second individual was a woman in her 60s who had underlying health conditions. She passed away at a hospital in Orange County.
 - The City announced the first two confirmed cases in long-term care facilities in Long Beach. The cases are from two separate facilities. The Health Department is investigating.
 - An employee from the Department of Health and Human Services has tested positive for COVID-19. The employee has worked diligently as a frontline member of the City's COVID-19 response team, dedicated to supporting the City's ongoing efforts in battling this public health crisis. The employee is in stable condition, and is recovering at home in self-isolation.
 - The City is only publicly reporting the case numbers associated with Long Beach first responders and employees who are on the frontlines of this pandemic who have daily, significant interactions with community members. Cases involving other City employees will not be publicly reported.



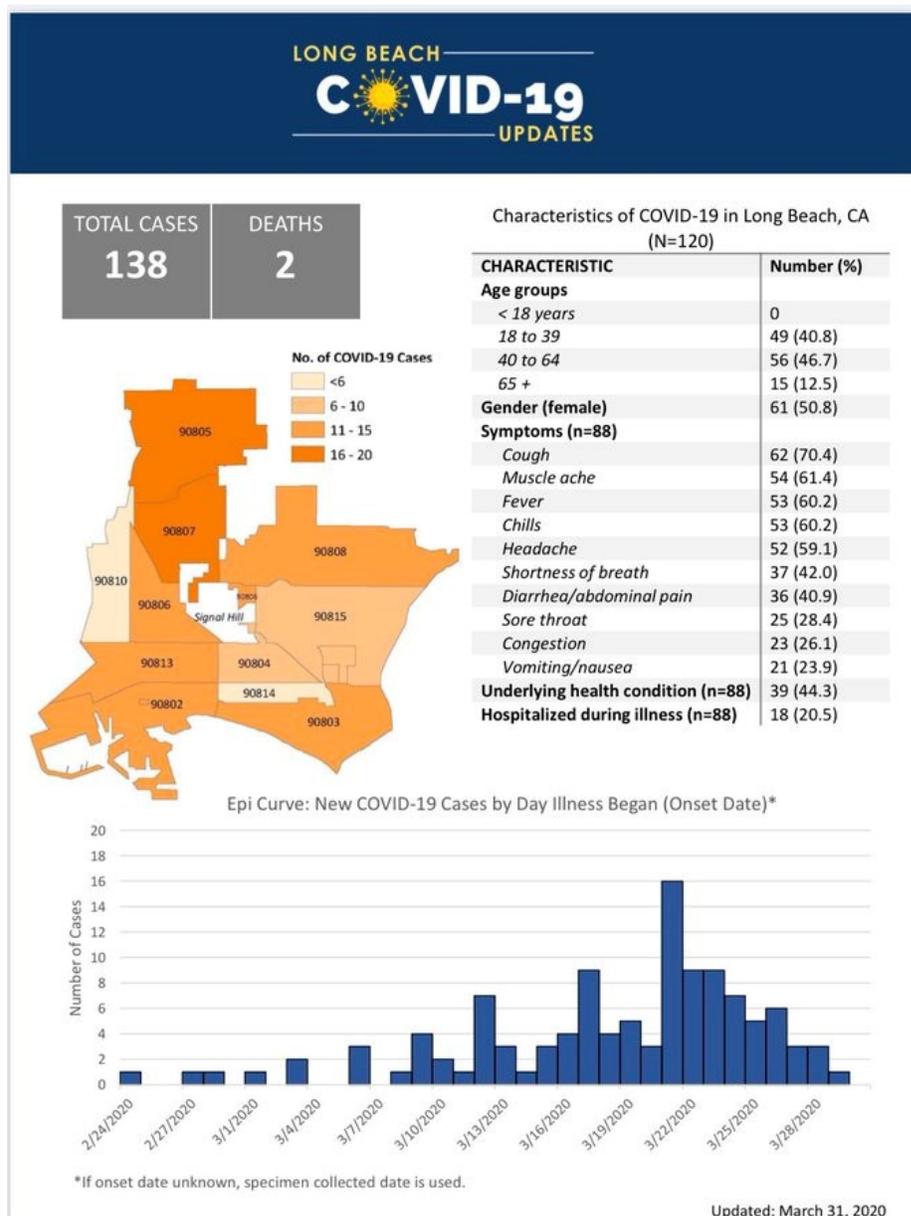
CORRECTION: It was reported that a total of 18 Long Beach firefighters tested positive for COVID-19. This number was incorrectly reported and the correct number for Long Beach firefighters is currently at 16 (5 residents and 11 non-residents).

Highlights:

- The Department of Health and Human Services [announced](#) two new orders requiring individuals with COVID-19 to [self-isolate](#), and those at risk of having COVID-19 to [self-quarantine](#), in order to slow the spread of COVID-19 in the City of Long Beach. These new health orders will continue until further notice.
- The City opened another temporary shelter at Martin Luther King Jr. Park (King Park), located at 1950 Lemon Ave. A press release with more information will be issued later today.
- Intake operating procedures for temporary shelters, including the Silverado Park and King Park shelters, have been updated. Individuals must first visit the Multi-

Service Center, located at 1301 W. 12th St., to complete the shelter assessment and mandatory health screening. After the health screening is completed, individuals will be shuttled to a shelter location.

- The closure of LBUSD schools [has been extended](#) through the end of the academic year, or June 11, due to the ongoing coronavirus pandemic.
- The Metro A Line Willow Station Parking Garage, located at 200 E. 27th St., has been added to the City's [alternative parking opportunity](#) for residents in parking-impacted locations.
- [COVID-19 testing protocols, explained](#). To date, Long Beach Health Department and their private laboratory partners have conducted more than 1,300 tests.
- Longshore workers at the [Port of Long Beach](#) are currently working a total of 15 vessels.
- The Long Beach Board of Water Commissioners approved enforcement of the [City's March 28 Health Order](#) to, as a last resort, shut off water service to non-essential businesses operating in violation of the health order.



Tracking the Curve

- The Daily Media Update on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays will now feature a [link](#) to additional graphics and data from the Health Department. This information is accurate as of the prior evening, so the total case count will vary from the number at the top of the Daily Media Update.

Safer at Home Order

- [Latest version of Safer at Home Order](#) (3/28)
- [Enforcement of order](#)

Economic Relief

- [Pacific Gateway to Launch New 'Work Long Beach' Program](#)
- [Free off-street parking for residents, street sweeping tickets suspended](#) (3/27)
- [Evictions suspended for tenants affected by COVID-19](#) (3/25)
- [Job Center remains open](#) (3/21)
- [City launches Long Beach Coronavirus Relief Fund](#) (3/18)
- [Long Beach Water Temporarily Suspends Water Shutoffs](#) (3/12)
- [Energy Resources provides restoration of gas service to customers, suspends shutoffs](#)

The City of Long Beach continues to monitor the situation 24/7 in coordination with local, state and federal officials. For the latest updates on Coronavirus, check our Health Department's website at this [link](#).



A dark blue rectangular graphic with white and yellow text. At the top left is the text 'COVID-19' with a sun icon. Below it is a white speech bubble icon containing a telephone handset. To the right of the icon is the text 'OLDER ADULT RESOURCE LINE' in large yellow letters. Below this is the phone number '562.570.INFO (4636)' and 'SELECT OPTION 5' in yellow. At the bottom are three logos: 'CITY OF LONG BEACH', '#covid19longbeach longbeach.gov/covid19', and 'LONG BEACH HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES'.

Grocery Stores in the Fourth District

All stores have expressed that they are getting regular shipments of food, and that they are restocking their shelves each day. However, some stores are restricting entry to prohibit overcrowding, which may lead to longer wait times outside the store. Special operating hours for adults 65+ & people with disabilities are indicated with an asterisk *.



<p>FOOD 4 LESS 3210 E. Anaheim St. (562) 438-6978 Store Hours: 7 AM - 11 PM <i>Special Hours*: 7 AM - 7:30 AM M/W/F</i></p>	<p>LAZY ACRES 2080 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 430-4132 Store Hours: 7 AM - 7 PM <i>Special Hours*: 6 AM - 7 AM Daily</i></p>
<p>RALPH'S 1900 N. Lakewood Blvd (562) 494-4371 Store Hours: 8 AM - 8 PM <i>Special Hours*: 7:30 AM - 8 AM Daily</i></p>	<p>TARGET 2270 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 493-5411 Store hours: 8 AM - 9 PM <i>Special Hours*: 8 AM - 9 AM Wednesdays</i></p>
<p>TRADER JOE'S 2222 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 596-2514</p>	<p>VONS 1820 Ximeno Ave. (562) 498-2111</p>

Drive-Thru Businesses in the Fourth District

We currently have 25 drive-thrus in the Fourth Council District. You can grab food, go to the bank and pick up prescriptions without leaving your car. Below is list of all the drive-thrus in District Four. Please call for operating hours.



Drive-Thru Restaurants

Taco Bell 6407 Stearns St 562-431-1285	Del Taco 2201 Palo Verde Ave 562-430-3973	Wendy's 2201 Bellflower Blvd 562-597-2822
McDonald's 2290 Bellflower Blvd 562-430-3500	El Pollo Loco 2200 Clark Ave 562-494-9691	Krispy Kreme 4760 Los Coyotes Diag. 562-494-4662
In-N-Out Burger 4600 Los Coyotes Diag. 800-786-1000	Chick-fil-A 4401 E. PCH 562-494-7310	Raising Canes 4500 Atherton St 562-498-1348
Carl's Jr. 4511 E. PCH 562-494-4356	Starbucks 1775 Ximeno Ave 562-494-6363	Burger King 4542 E. PCH 310-498-6331
Original Tommy's 4315 E. Anaheim St 562-498-2867	Jack in the Box 3399 E. PCH (Signal Hill) 562-494-6740	Del Taco 3190 E. PCH 562-597-4784
McDonald's 3302 Anaheim St. 562-494-3939	Taco Bell 2500 E. PCH 562-498-7283	Rally's 2001 E. PCH 562-434-1490
KFC 4001 E. Anaheim St. 562-498-0446	Jack in the Box 2101 E. Anaheim St. 562-439-8958	Bartha's Donuts 4396 E. Anaheim St. 562-588-7588

Drive-Thru Pharmacies

CVS Pharmacy 4400 Los Coyotes Diag. 562-494-4282	Rite Aid 4525 E. PCH 562-597-6520
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Drive-Thru Banks

Chase Bank 4501 E. PCH 562-498-2495	F&M Bank 2302 N. Bellflower Blvd. 562-799-7271	F&M Bank 3140 E. Anaheim St. 562-621-1400
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Take-Out Restaurants in the Fourth District

Continuing through March 31, 2020, or until further notice, city businesses are required to modify their operations, in [accordance](#) with a mandate issued by the Health and Human Services Department - Restaurants and other food-serving establishments are limited to delivery, takeout or drive-thru only. Below is a



working list of restaurants in the Fourth District open for delivery, take-out or drive-thru only. Send us Fourth District restaurants via [email](#) to be included in future emails.

BAI PLU THAI & SUSHI BAR 2119 Bellflower Blvd. 562-343-2651	CAÑADAS GRILL 3721 E. Anaheim St. (562) 494-4903
CASA SANCHEZ 3948 E. Anaheim St. 562-494-4156	CHARO CHICKEN 4752 E. PCH (562) 498-5600
CHICK-FIL-A 4401 E. PCH (562) 494-7310	COMMODITY COFFEE 1322 Coronado Ave
THE CROOKED DUCK 5096 E. PCH (562) 494-5118	DELI NEWS PIZZA 5555 Stearns St. (562) 598-2123
DI PIAZZA'S (In CD3) 5205 E. PCH 562-498-2461	ECCO'S PIZZA 2123 N Bellflower Blvd. (562) 597-3357
HOF'S HUT 2147 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 597-5811	JOE JOST'S 2803 E. Anaheim St. (562) 439-5446
KRISPY KREME 4760 Los Coyotes Diag. (562) 494-4662	LB FISH GRILL 1201 Redondo Ave 562-986-6900
LOS COMPADRES 3229 E. Anaheim St. (562) 961-0061	MARRI'S PIZZA 6436 Stearns St. (562) 596-5771
MILANAS BROOKLYN SQUARES 2000 Ximeno Ave (562) 498-1411	PANCHO'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT 4925 E. PCH (562) 597-7891
PHNOM PENH NOODLE SHACK 1644 Cherry Ave. (562) 433-0032	PIEOLOGY 2092 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 430-5890
POLLY'S PIES 4680 Los Coyotes Diag. (562) 597-6067	POTHOLDER CAFÉ (P3) 2246 Lakewood Blvd. (562) 494-9400
RASCALS 1760 Bellflower Blvd. (562) 431-7777	RAISING CANE'S CHICKEN FINGERS 4500 E. Atherton (562) 498-1348
SIDEYARD CAFÉ 2222 Palo Verde 562-493-3676	TASTY FOOD to GO 2015 E. 10 th St. (562) 424 -4774
VALENTINO'S PIZZA 4750 E. PCH (562) 986-4680	YAGO JUICE 2125 N. Bellflower Blvd. (562) 494-2888

Local news sources have also created working lists for restaurants city wide - they are available here: [LB Post](#), [Grunion Gazette](#)

Modification to LBPD Response to COVID-19

As part of the City of Long Beach's All Hazards Incident Management Team (AHIMT), the Long Beach Police Department has been working in close coordination with the Long Beach Health Department and Long Beach Fire Department to help manage the City's response to the COVID-19 public health emergency. The Police Department has implemented changes in its operations to maintain essential police functions and services. In an effort to safeguard employees and members of the community, LBPD



has taken the following actions to minimize the spread of COVID-19. An overview of these changes is provided [here](#).

Street Sweeping Parking Enforcement Suspended Thru May 1st

The suspension of street sweeping parking citations has been extended through May 1, 2020. Street sweeping will continue in areas where the sweeper can effectively provide service, however no citations will be issued to violating vehicles. While citations will not be issued, the City encourages the community to move their vehicles during posted sweeping times. Street sweeping is a critical health service for the City, collecting thousands of tons of debris each year, therefore it is essential that vehicle owners make every effort to comply with parking restrictions. All other parking enforcement, including metered parking, time zones, and red, white and blue curbs, will continue as usual.



Long Beach Water Department: Don't Flush Wipes

The use of baby wipes, paper towels and disinfecting wipes has recently increased, so please do your part in preventing negative impacts on the sewer system: put wipes (including those labelled "flushable") and paper towels in the trash, not the toilet.



Long Beach Transit Service Alert

As result of the actions taken at the federal, state and local levels of government to minimize the spread of COVID-19, LBT will be operating a modified bus schedule, effective Sunday, March 22, 2020. LBT buses will operate from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. Water taxi service (AquaLink and AquaBus) is suspended until further notice. LBT will continue to provide vital transit services on a modified schedule until further notice for customers performing essential activities and traveling to work. For more information, please visit their [website](#).



Long Beach's Neighbor Relief Postcard

We are all in this together. It's important that we stop the spread

of COVID-19, and the City of Long Beach has provided guidance on hand washing, social distancing, and other things that will help. But one of the most important things we can do right now is come together and work as a community to support each other and take care of our neighbors. The City is providing [Neighbor to Neighbor cards](#) to help open up lines of communication and help us find ways we can take care of each other during this difficult time. Questions? Please contact Katie Balderas at 562-570-4333 or Katie.Balderas@longbeach.gov.

HELLO NEIGHBOR! CITY OF LONG BEACH
I can help you!

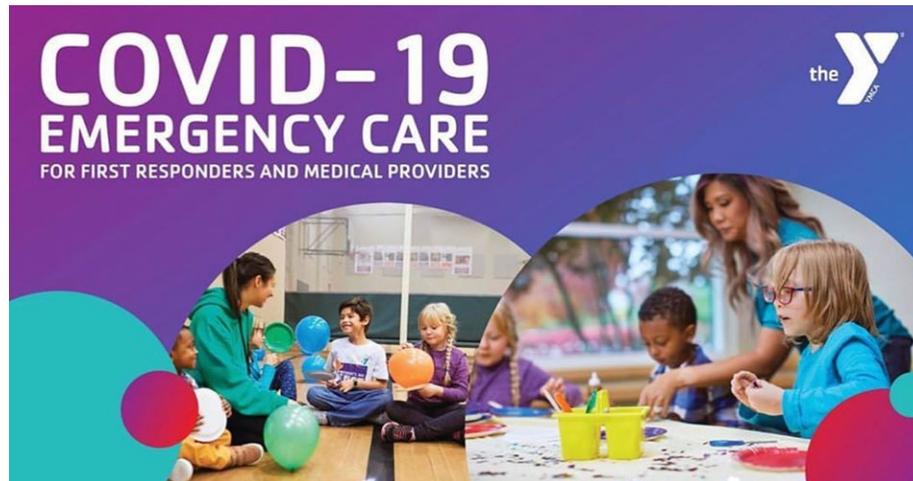
My name is: _____
I live nearby at: _____
My number to call or text: _____

If you are social distancing due to COVID-19, I can help with:

<input type="checkbox"/> Pick up groceries	<input type="checkbox"/> Urgent errands/supplies
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily check-in calls	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail/Package Pick up

Let me know if there is anything I can do to help.
I will stay 6 feet away from you and leave items on your doorstep.
You are not alone!

Los Altos YMCA Offers Child Care for Essential Workers



More information is available on their [Website](#)

Past Events

Governor Announces Mortgage Payment Relief

Governor Gavin Newsom announced that financial institutions will provide major financial relief for millions of Californians suffering financially as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak. The Governor secured support from Citigroup, JPMorgan Chase, U.S. Bank, and Wells Fargo and nearly 200 state-chartered banks, credit unions, and services to protect homeowners and consumers. Under the Governor's proposal, Financial institutions will offer, consistent with applicable guidelines, mortgage payment forbearances of up to 90 days to borrowers economically impacted by COVID-19. Details about this program and other COVID-19 related financial relief programs are available at this [link](#).



LBWD Summer Watering Schedule Starts April 1st

Summer watering restrictions are now in place. Watering is allowed on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Residents may water landscape only before 9 am or after 4 pm. Watering cannot result in runoff that flows onto neighboring properties, sidewalks, walks, roadways, parking lots or structures. More information is available [here](#).



Upcoming Events

L.A. County Property Taxes Due April 10th

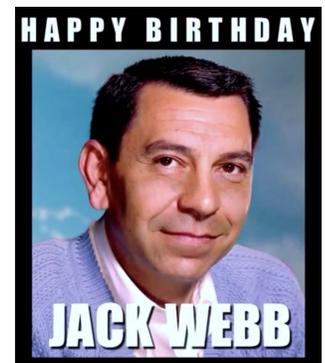
If you're wondering if the deadline to pay property taxes will be extended due to COVID-19, the answer is no. According to Keith Knox, Treasurer and Tax Collector, Los Angeles County has no authority to extend the deadline as outlined by State Law. However, property owners Affected by COVID-19 may Submit a request to have late penalties waived. You can read the entire statement by Keith Knox at this [link](#).



And Finally

Happy 100th Birthday Jack Webb

Considering he's made over 200 appearances in our newsletter, we thought it would be appropriate to mention this milestone date: Yesterday, April 2, 2020, would have been Jack Webb's 100th birthday. He died in 1982 at the age of 62. As an actor, producer and director, he honored first responders, EMT's, doctors and nurses in his television shows *Dragnet*, *Adam-12* and *Emergency!* Jack Webb (aka Sgt. Joe Friday) made his first appearance in our GF!F newsletter in December 2015. What started as simply a humorous image of Joe Friday in a Santa hat, somehow evolved into regular appearances. It took on kind of a "Where's Waldo" theme as readers told us they would look to find the Jack Webb image upon opening the newsletter. When he died in 1982, LAPD Chief Darryl Gates officially retired Joe Friday's Badge 714. Jack Webb was also buried with full police honors which was a rarity for a non-police officer. In *Dragnet's* heyday, people would regularly visit the LAPD asking to speak to Sgt. Friday. The official response given by the front desk was, "Sorry, it's Joe's day off."



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