



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

Last Saturday's plan to begin accepting transfer patients from area hospitals ran into some glitches. The good news is that the issues are being resolved, and CHLB should be back on track in a matter of days. One of the issues involved upgrading of the elevators in order to pass inspection. Our council office was able to step up and provide the required funding of \$250,000 to get the upgrade done immediately. This amount, along with our initial funding of the \$150,000 architectural study, brings CD4's total contribution amount to \$400,000. It's important to note that this money does not come from "one-time district priority funds", so there is no impact on CD4 infrastructure projects including street and sidewalk repair. All the funding for CHLB is a budget surplus from running our council office at a very efficient level. In FY 2019, our office operations came in \$245,494 under budget. That amount, along with office operating budget savings from previous years, has been used to help reopen Community Hospital.



Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update

By the Numbers (Long Beach only):

- 70 positive results
 - New total includes 1 Long Beach police officer who is a City resident.
 - New total includes 4 Long Beach firefighters who are City residents, but does not include 9 other Long Beach firefighters who are not residents.
 - Total includes one CSULB student (the other student is not a Long Beach resident)
 - [First death](#) within the City reported Monday, March 23
- 12 people have recovered

Today's Highlights:

- One Long Beach police officer has tested positive. A [press release](#) was issued today. Officials will provide additional information during a livestream today at 3:00 p.m. on the City's [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#) pages. Media may not attend in person due to social distancing precautions, but may submit questions in advance to jic@longbeach.gov by 2:00 p.m.
- Long Beach Fire apparatuses are no longer being housed at Station 12 and are back to responding to calls for service at Station 11.
- The Long Beach Police Department implemented temporary, modified response protocols for certain calls for service. A news release with more information will be issued by the police department at a later date.
- Port of Long Beach terminals are open and operating. There were 8 container vessels, 6 bulk vessels and 2 oil tankers for a total of 16 ships docked at the Port. Harbor Department administrative buildings are closed to the public, but normal functions continue and staff are facilitating cargo operations.

This Week's Highlights:

- The City announced that eight Long Beach Fire Department firefighters [tested positive for COVID-19](#).
- The Winter Shelter will stay open until September 30. Some of the beds from the Winter Shelter site will be relocated to the former North Neighborhood Library to ensure COVID-19-related distancing at the shelter while also continuing the availability of 125 beds for people experiencing homelessness.
- On March 24, the City amended the [Safer at Home order](#) to prohibit gatherings of any size to align with the Executive Order issued by Governor Newsom. Additionally, the updated order closed access to Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier, the El Dorado Nature Center and parking lots at City-owned parks and beaches.
- Also on March 24, the City approved a temporary moratorium on tenant evictions. View this [news release](#) for information.
- On March 23, Long Beach announced its [first COVID-19 fatality](#). The woman was in her 50s and had underlying health conditions.
- On March 22, Long Beach Health Department [issued guidance](#) to local healthcare providers based on the state's "Guidance for Prioritization of Patients for Laboratory Testing for COVID-19," issued March 20. Testing will continue to be based on medical need and will help ensure that people who most need testing can get results rapidly, while reducing strain on the health care system.
- The City rolled out [parking relief measures](#) for the most parking-impacted areas.

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](#).

COVID-19

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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 Store Hours: 9 AM - 7 PM</p>	<p>VONS 1820 Ximeno Ave. (562) 498-2111 Store Hours: 7 AM - 9 PM</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

<p>Taco Bell 6407 Stearns St 562-431-1285</p>	<p>Del Taco 2201 Palo Verde Ave 562-430-3973</p>	<p>Wendy's 2201 Bellflower Blvd 562-597-2822</p>

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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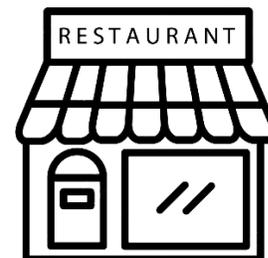
Drive-Thru Banks

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.



CANADAS GRILL 3721 E. Anaheim St. (562) 494-4903	CHARO CHICKEN 4752 E. PCH (562) 498-5600
CHICK-FIL-A 4401 E. PCH (562) 494-7310	CHRONIC TACOS 5525 E. Stearns (562) 342-9501
COMMODITY COFFEE 1322 Coronado Ave	THE CROOKED DUCK 5096 E. PCH (562) 494-5118
DELI NEWS PIZZA 5555 Stearns St. (562) 598-2123	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	LOS COMPADRES

4760 Los Coyotes Diag. (562) 494-4662	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	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](#)

El Dorado Nature Center and Additional Closures

Access is now closed to Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier, the El Dorado Nature Center and parking lots at City-owned parks and beaches through April 19 to prevent large groups of people from congregating in public spaces, in accordance with the [latest clarification](#) to the state's "Stay at Home" order and the City of Long Beach's "Safer at Home" order. Additionally, gatherings of any size will be prohibited citywide as part of the updated order.



All residents must remain at home, with the following exceptions as long as social distancing of six feet or more is maintained:

- Travel to and from essential businesses.
- Travel to work at, or provide service to, a healthcare operation or essential infrastructure.
- Engage in essential activities such as going to the grocery store or a medical appointment.
- Exercise, jogging and other outdoor activities.

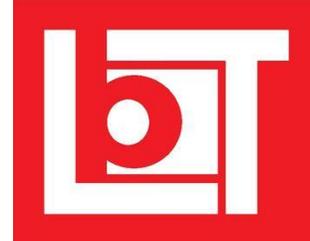
[As previously announced](#), sports facilities at City parks and beaches remain closed.

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.

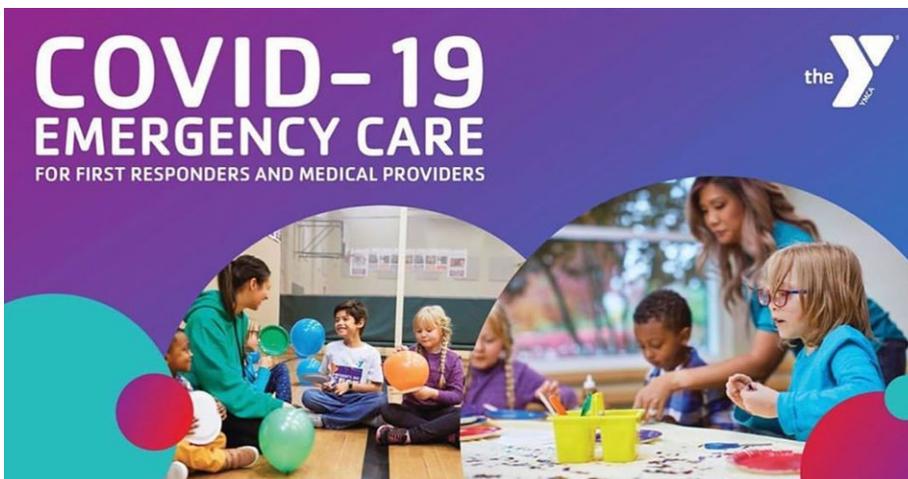


Long Beach Transit Service Alert



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](#).

Los Altos YMCA Offers Child Care for Essential Workers



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

We Love Long Beach's Neighbor Relief Postcard

We Love Long Beach has just launched a "neighbor relief postcard" initiative that allows you to provide help to your neighbors—who may be self-isolating—with anything from picking up groceries, running urgent errands or picking up mail. You can use this [link](#) to print out the postcard and fill it in.



Upcoming Events

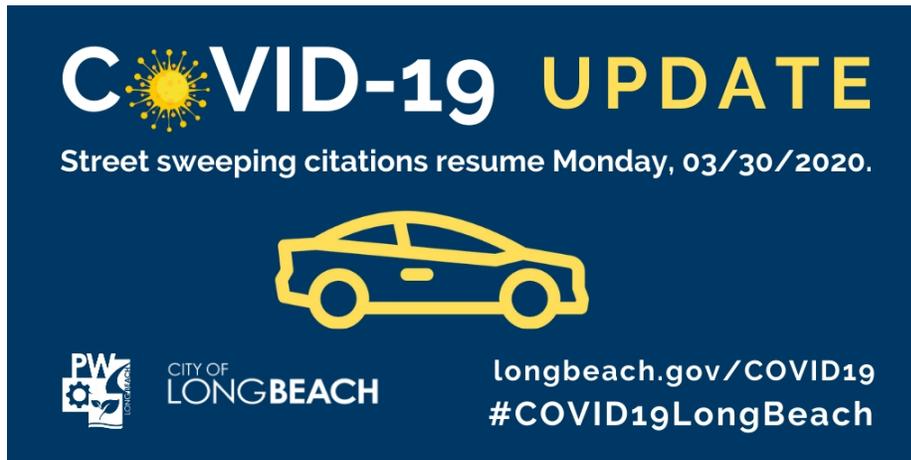
Complete the 2020 Census Today!

Recently, you should have received instructions for completing your 2020 Census questionnaire online. Local communities depend on information from the Census Bureau to fund programs that promote the well-being of families and children as well as equal employment opportunities for you and your neighbors. If you have not already responded, please complete your short 10-minute [2020 Census questionnaire](#) today! Are you curious about how many people in your community are responding to the 2020 Census? You'll be able stay up to date with a [map](#) of self-response rates from across the United States.

The logo for the United States 2020 Census. It features the words 'United States' in a small font, 'Census' in a large, bold, white font, and '2020' in a large, bold, white font. The entire logo is set against a dark blue background.

Street Sweeping Parking Enforcement Resumes Next Week

Please observe all street sweeping parking restrictions as enforcement resumes on Monday after a two week hiatus. If you have a driveway or other off-street parking, please be sure to use it to free up as much street parking as possible. Green curbs in business districts can also be used by neighbors for limited time parking. Green curbs are not solely for business customers.



COVID-19 UPDATE
Street sweeping citations resume Monday, 03/30/2020.



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CD4 Community Meetings Canceled

Our Monthly Community Meetings at the Los Altos Library will be canceled until further notice. Please feel free to reach out to our office via [email](#) or phone (562) 570-4444. If we do not answer - leave a voice mail and we will get back you as soon as possible. Along with the Los Altos Branch, all LB Public Libraries will be closed until April 19th. No fines will accrue, due dates have been extended and drop boxes will be closed until April 30th.



SOUNDLIGHT: First Responders Group Canceled until further notice | 2250 Clark Ave.

With both LBFD and LBPB sworn personnel testing positive for the corona virus, it's particularly disappointing to announce the cancelation of this program. It is called SOUNDLIGHT: First Responders Group - "A Service for those who Serve". It was to be a time for connection, networking and encouragement for those serving in the police department, fire department, ER/EMT medical teams and dispatch. Bethany Church would like to provide first responders with updates and offer chaplain support services. Please call (562) 597-2411 or email info@bethanylb.org for information.



Redistricting Commission Forming

Stuck at home? You can still help shape Long Beach's future! Apply to serve as a Redistricting Commissioner starting April 1st! We need diverse, civic-minded residents to redraw City Council maps. Learn more & sign up for updates today [here](#).



LBWD Summer Watering Schedule Starts April 1st

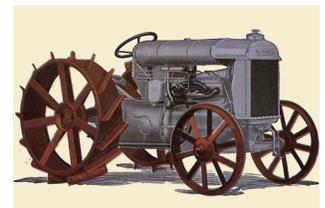
Starting April 1st, landscape watering is allowed on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Residents may water landscape only before 9 am or after 4 pm. Watering cannot result in runoff that flows onto neighboring properties, sidewalks, walks, roadways, parking lots or structures. More information is available [here](#).



And Finally

The Anaheim Street Road Diet in 1925

The vintage photo below shows the Young and Gresham, Inc. Ford Dealership at 2641 E. Anaheim St. The cars in front of the dealership are parked diagonally in the manner used today in our local road diets. The sign on the car at the right of the photo promotes an "E. Anaheim St. Celebration". It's nice to know the Zaferia Happy Sunday event has a 95-year legacy. In addition to the large Ford sign mounted on the roof of the dealership, signage above the front entrance states: Lincoln, Ford and Fordson. If you're not familiar with the Fordson name, it was a brand of tractors manufactured by Henry Ford & Sons. From 1917 to 1928, Ford was the only company to manufacture cars, trucks and tractors. The fact that the community could support a tractor dealership is a testament to just how rural East Long Beach was in the mid 1920's.



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