

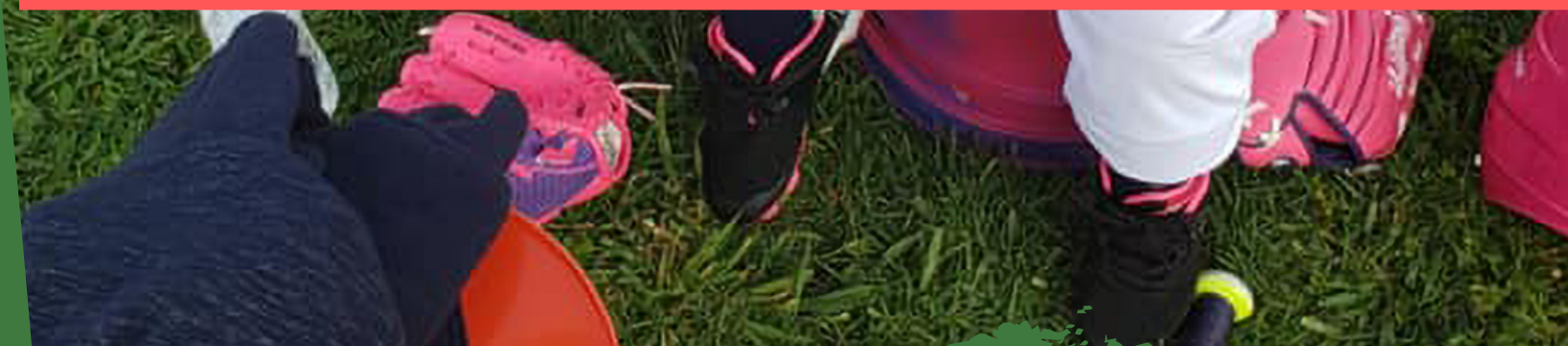


CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO | JUNE/JULY 2022

Community Newsletter



**Summertime Fun
in San Bernardino!**



On the Cover: Summer Fun in San Bernardino

Summer time is fun time in San Bernardino as there is no shortage of things to do.

Baseball fans can catch a 66ers game, watch the Western Regionals of the Little League World Series in baseball and softball, or mold the next Mookie Betts or Mike Trout in our little sluggers program.

Fun, free and family focused Movies in the Park take place every Friday in June, a summer concert series at the Roosevelt Bowl every Thursday from June 23 through July 28. And you can cool off during swim hours at our four pools and five splash pads throughout the city.

The Library is a great place to beat the heat and check out materials, read a newspaper or magazine, or use free public PC or Wi-Fi. It's summer reading program is underway for readers of all ages.

And seniors, meet up with old friends or make some new ones at each of our three senior centers. The air conditioning is free and there are always activities happening.

So you can stay local, save on gas, and have a blast this summer in San Bernardino!



Streets Dedicated in the Honor of the Original Finest

On May 15, 1905, a brand-new Police Department was appointed and began patrolling the streets of San Bernardino. These officers included John Bell Kettering, Robert O'Rourke, John A. Henderson, William Hurley, Edward Poppett, Benjamin Emerson, Richard Curtis, Robert Nish and Chief Walter Shay Jr.



The original members of San Bernardino's Police Department

On Thursday, June 23rd, 2022, nine new streets named after San Bernardino's original nine police officers were dedicated at a ceremony near the corner of Meyers Road and Little League Drive.

This street dedication is thanks to ten years of hard work and dedication of the San Bernardino Police Historical Society.

CITY NEWS

Code Compliance Ups it Staffing and Hours

With the City Council recently increasing the number of Code Compliance officers from eight to twenty, changes are coming to the department.

Even as Code Compliance staffing continues to ramp up, two new weekend and after hours enforcement shifts were launched on June 17. Code Officers are now also working shifts on Fridays from 11 am – 9 pm and Saturdays from 12 pm – 10 pm.

Additional after-hours shifts are anticipated to begin in mid-August on Wednesdays through Saturdays from 12 pm – 10 pm.

Code violations in the City of San Bernardino can range from property upkeep (weeds and trash), illegal dumping, unlicensed street vendors, sub-standard housing or inoperable vehicles.

To report a code violation, call the City's "One Call Does it All" number at (909) 384-7272 or download the free San Bernardino Mobile App from your App Store.



Follow These Simple Steps for a Safe Fourth



- Always use fireworks ("Safe and Sane" only) with an adult present.
- Always read and follow label directions
- Always have water (garden hose/bucket) and a fire extinguisher within reach
- Never alter fireworks
- Always place fireworks on a firm, non-combustible surface, like a driveway.
- Never re-light "dud" fireworks
- Never point, throw or mishandle fireworks

POLICE

What Fireworks are Illegal in San Bernardino?

The purpose of making certain fireworks illegal in San Bernardino is not to take away your fun. Certain fireworks are more likely to cause fires to property or hillsides, as well as cause injuries to individuals setting them off or watching. Just last year, an 8 year old San Bernardino child was tragically killed on July 4 when he was struck by an illegal aerial firework,

Illegal fireworks include any firework that flies through the air, moves across the ground or explodes. This includes, firecrackers, skyrockets, roman candles, and torpedoes or explosive items, such as M-80 or M-100.

Due to fire dangers, ALL firework usage is prohibited north of the 210 Freeway and 30th Street. In addition, firework usage is prohibited in public parks or on public streets and no one under 18 may buy or possess fireworks.

The City asks that those interested in using fireworks on July 4 to purchase legal "safe and sane" fireworks at one of the 32 permitted fireworks stands open between July 1 and July 4 throughout the city.

In the meantime, San Bernardino Police have taken a zero tolerance stand against illegal fireworks. San Bernardino Police and SB County Fire will be working in tandem to enforce San Bernardino Fireworks laws. A first violation will result in a fine of \$1,000. A second violation will result in a fine of \$2,500 and a third violation will result in a fine of \$3,000.

Residents are encouraged to report fireworks being ignited by calling SBPD's 24 hour non-emergency line at: (909) 383-5311. There is a \$250 reward for reporting illegal fireworks that lead to a conviction in San Bernardino.



In the first two weeks of June, SBPD have already made arrests and seized over 1,000 pounds of illegal fireworks.

Fireworks Can Be Very Scary for Your Pets

Here are some tips to keep your furry friends calm and safe

Many people enjoy the booming sounds and flashing colors of fireworks, but they can be terrifying, overwhelming and dangerous for our pets.

On the Fourth of July, many animals become so frightened by the noise and commotion of fireworks that they run from otherwise familiar environments and people, and sadly become lost. They may also suffer devastating health effects from the stress. The sudden bright flashes and sounds can cause animals to run into roadways, resulting in more car accidents than normal.

Here are a few simple ways to keep your pets safe during the Fourth of July festivities :

Keep your pet safely away from fireworks.

Pets are very sensitive to loud noises, flashing lights and strong smells. On the Fourth of July, and other days people are likely to set off fireworks, it's best to leave your pets safely indoors, preferably with a radio or TV turned on to soften jarring noises. If you're unable to leave your pet inside at home, keep them leashed and under your direct control at all times.

Safeguard your pet with a microchipped ID.

All pets, even those kept indoors full-time, should always wear collars with ID tags. Indoor-only pets can become so frightened during fireworks displays that they may take desperate measures to escape the noise, including breaking through windows or door screens. You should also ensure that your pet is microchipped and that the chip is properly registered with your current contact information.

If your pet becomes lost.

If your pet does become lost, contact the San Bernardino Animal Shelter (at (909) 384-7272) and surrounding shelters immediately. Last year, the San Bernardino Animal Shelter was able to successfully reunite 463 dogs and 14 cats to their families.

If you find a lost pet.

If you find a lost pet, either take them to the address on their tag or bring them to a local animal shelter so they can be reunited with their family.



(Portions of this article courtesy of the Humane Society)

Movies In the Park a Big Success. Will Return In August with "Throwback Thursdays"

The "Starlight Cinema" Movies in the Park series in June was a huge hit, drawing large crowds for games, activities, information booths, good food, and of course, fun family movies! At the June 10 showing of "Encanto" at Tom Minor Park, over 300 residents attended the free event and had a wonderful time.

The last Starlight Cinema will be on Friday June 24 at Speicher Park and will feature a showing of "The Croods: A New Age." Activities will begin at 5:00 pm with the movie beginning at dusk. Just bring your lawn chair, a blanket, and maybe a few snacks.

Due to popular demand, Starlight Cinema will return with Throwback Thursdays every Thursday evening in August. Showings will include "Roll Bounce" on August 4 at Perris Hill Park, "The Goonies" on August 11 at Seccombe Lake Park, "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory" on August 18 at Lytle Creek Park, and "Back to the Future" on August 25 at Wildwood Park.

We'll see you at the movies!



PARKS RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES

Sizzlin' Summer Nights Concert Series Comes to the Historic Roosevelt Bowl in June and July

Renovations to San Bernardino's Historic Roosevelt Bowl are underway, but the great music and fun times couldn't wait!

The Sizzlin' Summer Nights is a free Concert Series at the Roosevelt Bowl that will run every

Thursday from June 23 through July 28. Gates open at 5:00 pm with the show starting at 7:00.

Each week, a different band will take the stage. On June 23 - Midnight Ride, June 30 - Stone Soul, July 7 - Mariachi Arcoiris, July 14 - Bruno and the Hooligans, July 21 - Neon Nation, and July 28 - Suave the Band.

Nestled against the hill at Perris Hill Park, the Roosevelt Bowl is an 1,800-seat outdoor amphitheater in a historic and natural setting. The bowl was built and dedicated in 1934 as part of the Federal Work Progress Administration and is surrounded by stately oaks, which provide shade for the open-air seating.





SUMMER RECREATION SWIM

Jerry Lewis Family
Swim Center

Daily: June 3-August 6th

Swim Sessions Begin: 12p, 2p, 4p

3-7 y/o: \$1.00

8-17 y/o: \$2.00

ADULT: \$3.00

SUMMER REC. SWIM

Daily: June 3, 2022 - Aug 6, 2022

Session 1- 12-1:30pm

Session 2- 2-3:30pm

Session 3- 4-5:30pm

JERRY LEWIS FAMILY SWIM CENTER

GENERAL ADMISSION



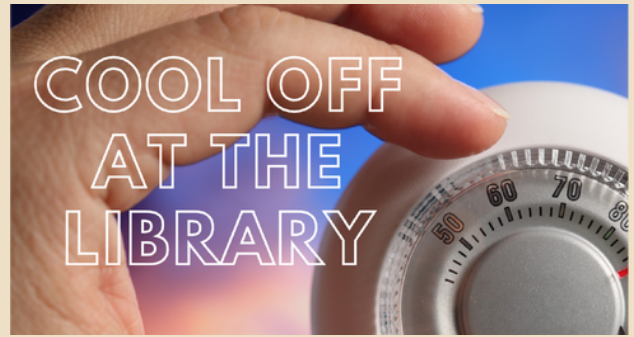
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Library

Stay Cool at a Library During the Hot Summer

The four San Bernardino libraries are some of the facilities for you to cool off at when the temperature rises. There are four libraries across the city. Each one offers newspapers, books, and magazines to read, computers to use, and free wi-fi.



In addition, there are fun and enriching programs, such as our summer reading program, which runs through

August 6. This year's theme is "Read Beyond the Beaten Path," which encourages skill development and exploration, both in books and outdoors. The program is open to all ages, from infants to seniors. Sign-up at sbpl.beanstack.org to share book reviews and earn prizes and entries toward the grand prize raffle for participants!

Feldheim Central, 555 W. Sixth St.
Rowe Branch, 108 E. Marshall Blvd.

Inghram Branch, 1505 W. Highland Ave.
Villasenor Branch, 525 N. Mt. Vernon Ave.

All 4 city libraries are open the same 40 hours a week:

Monday and Tuesday: Noon to 8 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Friday: Closed Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Join the Library August 6 for its American Girl Tea

An "afternoon tea" for young people will be held Saturday, Aug. 6 at Dr. Mildred Dalton Henry Elementary School, 1250 W. 14th St., San Bernardino highlighting the San Bernardino Public Library's diverse collection of American Girl dolls. This annual event, sponsored by the Library Foundation, offers a much more diverse variation of this old English tradition - attracts children and their parents from all over greater San Bernardino. Dressing up for the tea is encouraged. Refreshments and an educational program will be provided by the University of California's local Master Gardner/Master Preserver program. The event is free, but requires an RSVP to attend at (909) 381-8211 by July 29. Leave contact information and how many reservations. Information including how to check out the American Girl Dolls at the Feldheim Central Library is available at the library's website at www.sbpl.org



Go Skate San Bernardino

Post and Win on Social Media for Go Skateboarding Day in San Bernardino

Go Skateboarding Day is June 21st! It doesn't matter if you skateboard, roller skate, or roller blade, San Bernardino is looking for you! On social media, that is.

Just take a photo or shoot a video between June 21 and June 30th and post it on Social Media. Be Sure to tag us @SBCityParksAndRec and use hashtags: #SBGoSkateDay #Proud2BeSB

All photo/videos that tag and use both hashtags are entered into the contest to win cool prizes!

Photos/Videos must: show a skating element, be taken within the City of San Bernardino, be appropriate for all ages, tag @SBCityParksAndRec, and use the hashtags: #SBGoSkateDay #Proud2BeSB

Each social media post is considered as one entry. Unlimited entries are allowed!

Prizes will be awarded for: Most Liked Post, Most Commented Post, and for Randomly Selected Posts.

Prizes include: A skateboard deck and shirt from The Avenue Skateshop; a skateboard deck and shirt from Kore Skateshop, a Starbucks gift card, and Amazon gift card.

Please note: by tagging @sbcityparksandrec you are giving permission to the City of San Bernardino print and publish your photo/post/video.

The contest is open from June 21st until June 30th, so get busy!



PUBLIC WORKS

Major Road Projects Moving Forward Across the City

Three major road projects: the Mt Vernon Bridge, 2nd Street Bridge and State Street connection have been under construction or in the planning process for some time. Here is an update as to where these projects currently stand.

2nd Street Bridge

Crews continue to make progress to replace the 2nd Street Bridge over Warm Creek between Arrowhead Avenue and Sierra Way.

This project consists of replacing the existing bridge, replacing 4 lanes of traffic, installation of a drainage system, and slope stabilization.

The project is expected to be completed and the bridge will be back open for traffic in August.

Mt Vernon Bridge

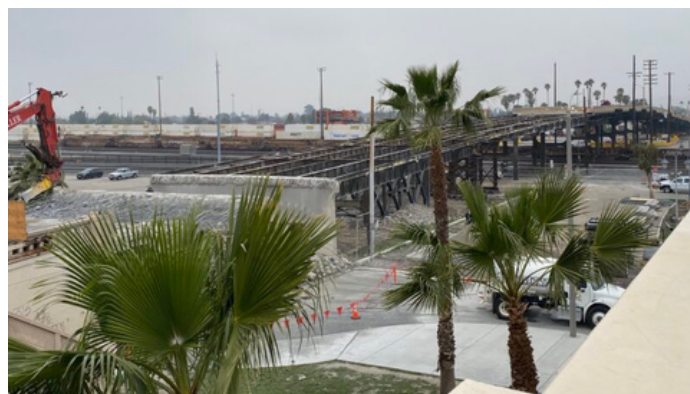
The Mt Vernon Bridge replacement project is a partnership between the City, Cal Trans, and SBCTA. While it may look like not much is happening, there is a lot going on under the bridge and nearby.

Currently, BNSF railroad is constructing bypass lines for trains to avoid the bridge construction. This stage must be completed before additional work can be done on the bridge itself.

SBCTA reports that this project remains on schedule, and the project completion is scheduled for 2024.

State Street Connection

On Thursday, June 23rd, sealed bids will be opened for the State Street construction contract which connects a gap on State Street between Baseline and Hanford Street.



(From top to bottom) A photo of work being done on the 2nd Street Bridge over Warm Creek, the Mt Vernon Bridge, and an artists rendering of what the State Street connection between Baseline and Hanford will look like.

KEEP SAN BERNARDINO CLEAN

Next Community Dump Day Set for Saturday June 25 at Perris Hill Park

Even with summer around the corner, it's not too late to do some spring cleaning. The next monthly Community Dump Day will take place on Saturday, June 25 from 8:00 am to 11:00 am at Perris Hill Park, located at 1135 E. Highland Avenue. San Bernardino residents can discard bulky items, tires, e-waste and metal. Construction and Hazardous materials will not be accepted, and proof of residency with either ID or a utility bill must be shown.

The June 25th Dump Day will also include free mulch giveaway and document shredding.

Dump days occur the last Saturday of every month at a selected location. See the chart below for the remaining 2022 schedule of dates and locations.



CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO COMMUNITY **DUMP DAY** 2022 Schedule

Last Saturday of the month!

The City of San Bernardino invites residents to take advantage of the following 7 FREE dump site events in 2022.

AVAILABLE FROM 8AM TO 11AM

May 21	Anne Shirrells Park 1367 N California Street
*June 25	Perris Hill Park 1135 E Highland Avenue
July 30	Seccombe Lake Park 160 W 5th Street
August 27	Perris Hill Park 1135 E Highland Avenue
*September 24	San Manuel Stadium 280 S E Street
October 29	Blair Park 1466 W Marshall Blvd
November 19	Perris Hill Park 1135 E Highland Avenue

*Document Shredding & Mulch Giveaway



Residents drop off trash and bulky items at the April 2022 Community Dump Day



Important Dump Site Information

City of San Bernardino residents may drop off unwanted items such as appliances, mattresses, tires, furniture, tree limbs and electronic waste.

- This is for household refuse only.
- Be prepared to show proof of residency with a driver's license or gas/electric/water bill.
- **NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS** - This includes paints, oil, batteries and household or industrial chemicals, etc.
- **NO CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS** - This includes concrete, brick, drywall and roofing material.
- **NO COMMERCIAL VEHICLES** - Includes enclosed U-Haul/rental moving trucks or Business Vehicles

Dump this junk for free!



Television, Couches, Tires, Chairs, printers

Questions? Call 909-384-7272 and visit www.SBCity.org/KeepSBClean to learn of more ways to help keep the city clean.

PUBLIC WORKS AT WORK

May Stats



City Cleanups

Debris, Weeds, and Illegal Dumping Abatement
(120 cubic yards removed from 439,000 sq. ft.)

Graffiti Removal - 536 Locations

Palms Removed - 17 Piles

Illegal Dumps - 304 Locations Cleared

Vacant Lots - 21 Locations Cleared



**Graffiti Cleanup on West 9th Street
(Ward 1)**



Street, Pothole & Sidewalk Repairs

Public Works is dedicated to repairing streets and sidewalks including abating debris, weeds, and illegal dumping.

Potholes Filled: 1,288/ 7,239 Sq.Ft.

Hot Patch Repairs: 218/ 19,790 Sq.Ft.

Sidewalks Repaired: 13 Locations 6,631 Sq. Ft.

Road Hazards/Grinding: 33 Locations/ 4,366 Sq.Ft.



**Crews working on King Street as part of
Citywide repaving project (Ward 1)**



Traffic Signals, Street Light, & Sign Repairs

Street Lights Repaired - 108

Signal Maintenance - 149

Traffic & Street Light Poles Replaced - 7

Underground Service Alerts - 909

Sign Replacements / Fabrications / Installs - 110



**Repaired Traffic Pole at the Intersection of
Mill and Eucalyptus (Ward 6)**



City Beautification Projects Continue to Make a Difference

Sometimes even the slightest upgrade can make a huge visual impact. Below is a photo of a recent Public Works median island improvement project near the intersection of Mt Vernon and 21st Street.



The Senior Games - Register Starting July 1

City of San Bernardino
Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON JULY 1st



**Parks
Make
Life
Better!**



2022 INLAND EMPIRE SENIOR GAMES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 - FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2022



**FOR SENIORS 50 YEARS
OF AGE AND BETTER**

EVENTS INCLUDE:

TENNIS, CORNHOLE, GOLF, SWIMMING,
5K/10K WALK OR RUN, BILLIARDS,
BOWLING, SOFTBALL,
AND PICKLEBALL.

TO REGISTER VISIT WWW.SBCITY.ORG/CITYHALL/PARKS/SENIOR_SERVICES

PH: (909) 384-5436 / FS: (909) 384-5430

E: Seniors@sbcity.org

W: SBCity.org/SENIOR_SERVICES

@CityofSanBernPRCSeniors

@SBCityParksAndRec



Summer Concerts at Roosevelt Bowl

CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO



PARKS, RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES

SIZZLIN' Summer Nights

@ THE ROOSEVELT BOWL

6/23 MIDNIGHT RIDE

6/30 STONE SOUL

7/7 MARIACHI ARCOIRIS

7/14 BRUNO & THE HOOLIGANS

7/21 NEON NATION

7/28 SUAVE THE BAND

GATE OPENS @ 5PM / CONCERT @ 7PM



@sbcityparksandrec



[SBCITY.ORG/EVENTS](https://www.sbcity.org/events)

JOB FAIR



Workforce Development



HIRING EVENT COMING!

Get your resume ready!

**Meet with employers
who are currently hiring!**

EVENT DETAILS:

Date: Thursday, July 7, 2022

Time: 9 AM till 12 Noon

America's Job Center of California

(Located at the Inland Center Mall)

500 Inland Center Drive, Space 508

San Bernardino CA 92408

[Register Here](#)



This WIOA Title-I financially assisted program, is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities, California Relay Service 711.

EMPLOYERS REGISTERED:

Inland Regional Center

Hussmann Corporation

Cherokee Wood Products

People's Care

Denco Family Inc.

Comfort Keepers

Proworks Staffing

Riverside County Sheriff's Department

And much more!

www.sbcounty.gov/workforce

COL. PAUL COOK (RET.), First District Supervisor | **JANICE RUTHERFORD**, Second District Supervisor
DAWN ROWE, Vice Chair, Third District Supervisor | **CURT HAGMAN**, Chairman, Fourth District Supervisor | **JOE BACA, JR.**, Fifth District Supervisor

Leonard X. Hernandez, Chief Executive Officer | **Bradley Gates**, Director, Workforce Development Department

In Partnership with:



Workforce Development

COMMUNITY RESOURCES



FREE COMMUNITY MEETING SUPPLIES GALORE

Did you know the City provides FREE RENTAL ITEMS for community meetings & events?



Reserve prior to your event to secure availability

Proof of San Bernardino Residency (ID) required for rental

Pick up/Return to Neighborhood Service Center

Neighborhood Service Center
290 North D Street
San Bernardino, CA 92401

WE HAVE YOU COVERED!

PROJECTOR SCREEN

FLIP CHARTS

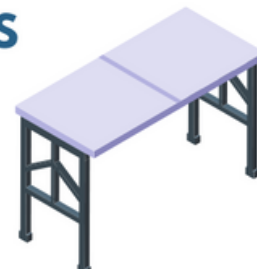
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EASEL MARKERS

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CHAIRS (20)



Call to Reserve: (909) 384-7272 OR SbDirect@sbcity.org

Neighborhood Service Center

290 N. D Street, San Bernardino, CA 92401

CITY INFORMATION

Office Locations & Hours of Operation

Our Public Service Counters are open

For assistance or information, please call us at (909) 384-7272 or visit our website www.SBCity.org

Vanir Tower

290 N. D St., San Bernardino, CA 92401
CITY INFORMATION CENTER/VISITOR CHECK-IN

Mayor	City Manager
City Council	Finance
City Attorney	Human Resources

201 N. E St., San Bernardino, CA 92401

SPACE 201A - ONE-STORY BUILDING
Entrance located on E Street (near 2nd street)

Business Registration
Parks, Recreation and Community Services
City Clerk

SPACE 201B - THREE-STORY BUILDING
Entrances located on E Street, next to Big Five and the southwest corner of the parking structure rooftop level

Community & Economic Development

- Administration
- Building & Safety
- Code Enforcement
- Economic Development
- Housing
- Planning

Public Works

- Administration
- Engineering
- Land Development
- Off-site Permits
- Real Property
- Traffic Division

Information Technology

Multipurpose Room

City Cable Channel Studio

- Inland Empire Media Group

710 N. D St., San Bernardino, CA 92401

San Bernardino Police Department
909-384-5742 / Dispatch 909-383-5311

555 W. 6th St., San Bernardino, CA 92410

San Bernardino Public Library | 909-381-8201
For hours and event schedules, visit www.SBPL.org


1350 S. E St., San Bernardino, CA 92408

Water Dept. Customer Service Offices | 909-384-5095
Water Emergency (24 hours) | 909-384-5141

333 Chandler Place, San Bernardino, CA 92401


Animal Services/Animal Shelter Service Offices
909-384-7272
Currently Open By Appointment Only
Tuesday - Saturday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm


Ways to Connect


 **SB Direct**
909-384-7272

 www.SBCity.org

 **Mobile App**
GORequest

 **Channel 3**
(IEMediaGroup)

 **City Information Center**
290 North D Street

 **SBConnect**
AM1610 radio

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@SB_CityClerk
@SBCityCED
@SBParksAndRecreation
@SanBernardinoPD
@SanBernardinoCountyFire
IEMediaGroup (YouTube)

Upcoming Holiday Closures

The next holiday closure to be observed by the City of San Bernardino will be Independence Day on Monday, July 4.

*NOTE: BURRTEC HOLIDAY SCHEDULE - When a holiday falls on a weekday, trash collections for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day. No service will be provided on the following days: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.



Join the team!
Openings posted weekly | SBCity.org/Jobs

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www.SBCity.org/SBConnect.