



## THE CITY OF POMONA

**TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS**

**FROM: ANITA D. SCOTT, CITY MANAGER** 

**SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S REPORT – Thursday, April 23, 2026**

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### **ADMINISTRATION**

#### **CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS**

**+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 5/4/2026**

Closed Session                      5:30 p.m.  
Meeting                                      7:00 p.m.

**+ Special City Council Meeting: Monday, 5/11/2026**

**Budget Study Session**  
Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 5/18/2026**

Closed Session                      5:30 p.m.  
Meeting                                      7:00 p.m.

**+ Special City Council Meeting: Tuesday, 5/26/2026**

**Adoption of Budget**  
Meeting 7:00 p.m.

All public meeting agendas are posted on our [website](#).

### **CITY CLERK**

#### **BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES - UPCOMING MEETINGS**

- April 27, 2026 Cultural Arts Commission
- April 28, 2026 Community Life Commission

#### **COMMISSIONER/COMMITTEE VACANCIES**

The City of Pomona uses an electronic submission process for applications.

If interested in applying, go to [NetFile | Authority | Boards and Commissions](#) to make an account, then select the body you're interested in serving and click on "Apply for this board." Applications are kept on file for one year from the date of submission. For more information, please visit the Boards, Commissions, and Committees [webpage](#).

#### **Current Vacancies:**

Citizens Oversight Committee – 1 vacancy

Historic Preservation Commission – 1 vacancy

Pomona Fund for Children and Youth Accountability Board – 8 Vacancies for youth (ages 15-24) and 7 Vacancies for adults (over age 24)

## **JUNE 2, 2026 PRIMARY ELECTION**

Attached at the end of this Report is the Certified List of Candidates for the June 2, 2026 Primary Election.

On **June 2, 2026**, Council Seats for Districts 2, 3, and 5 will be open for election.

Measure Z will also be on the ballot, to learn more about Measure Z please click here: [Measure Z | City of Pomona, CA](#)

The last day to register to be able to vote in the upcoming June 2, 2026 primary election is May 18, 2026. To register to vote or to check your registration status please visit the LA County Registrar-Recorder's website: [Register to Vote](#)

For additional information about local elections please visit our website: [Elections Information | Pomona, CA](#)

## **COMMUNITY SERVICES**

### **OUTDOOR & ACTIVE TRACK STARS SHINE**

Outdoor & Active (O&A) just wrapped up the Track & Field season at Diamond Ranch High School on Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, with 24 athletes, ages 7-14, participating in 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Track & Field Championship. Led by dedicated Community Services staff, youth developed speed, strength, and endurance while building confidence, coordination, and a love for the sport. This event reflects the growth and potential of O&A sports programming, and we are excited for the seasons ahead. For more information or to register your child, visit [bit.ly/pomonarecreation](http://bit.ly/pomonarecreation) or call 909-802-7730.



### **YOUTH & GOVERNMENT PROGRAM WRAP UP**

On Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, the Youth & Government delegation, EPIC Pomona, showcased their legislative and judicial work throughout the 2025-26 program year. Delegates were dressed in business attire and spoke about their experiences, projects, and growth during the eight-month program. Participants spoke about the 4-day coalition conference at Camp Roberts in San Miguel, CA and the culminating statewide conference



in Sacramento, CA, where they presented and advocated an amendment to SB 2122, Section 69996.3 of the Education Code related to CalKIDS funds. The bill proposed lowering the age from 18 to 16 years old, at which beneficiaries can access the California Kids Investment and Development Savings Program funds, allowing students earlier access to educational savings. The bill successfully passed the committee, passed both houses, was vetoed by the Youth Governor, and was ultimately overridden by the legislature, resulting in final passage. This means the bill will be included in the final bill docket that will be presented to California Governor Gavin Newsom.

Students reflected on the valuable leadership, public speaking, speech writing, and research skills they gained throughout the legislative process. This program is a partnership between the City and the YMCA of Orange County offering high school students an impactful learning opportunity. Thank you to everyone who came out to support and celebrate EPIC Pomona's incredible accomplishments. We also extend our sincere appreciation for the certificates of recognition from Congressman Norma Torres, Senator Susan Rubio, Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez, Pomona Unified School District, and Pomona City Council.

### **MONDAY NIGHT DANCE**

Join us Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026 from 5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at Washington Park Community Center for a Cinco de Mayo dance. Enjoy lively music, dancing, light refreshments, and fun photo opportunities. Admission is free for Pomona residents and \$4 for non-residents at the door. Registration is required, as space is limited. To register or to request more information, please call (909) 620-2324.



## **CULTURAL ARTS**

### **CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION**

On Monday, April 27, 2026, Cultural Arts Commission will have its regularly scheduled, fourth Monday of the month, meeting, at 5:30 p.m. in City Council Chambers.

Intended agenda items include:

- Public Hearing item for a re-approval of Final Design Plan (PUBART-000141-2026) - 3101 W. Temple Ave.
- Siemens Art Call Proposals selection of final artist to execute public art installation off S. Reservoir St. and E. County Rd. in front of the Siemens building.
- Discussion on Public Artwork containing images of and/or dedicated to Cesar Chavez.
- Discussion of a potential future opportunity for Public Artwork dedicated to Victor Glover.

Official agenda can be found here: [City of Pomona - Calendar](#)

Date	Location
May TBD*	TBD
June 22, 2026	City Council Chambers
July 27, 2026	City Council Chambers

\*Original meeting date is a holiday.

### **APRIL IS ARTS, CULTURE, AND CREATIVITY MONTH**

In 2019, California for the Arts successfully advocated for the California Senate to declare April as *Arts, Culture & Creativity Month*, a time to celebrate and recognize the arts statewide.

This year's theme is Boundless Creativity & Culture: The Essence of Freedom with a focus on #JoyActionPower. Rooted in the belief that creativity is freedom, this campaign uplifts the boundless imagination that shapes culture, strengthens communities, and fuels social change.

#### Week 4: Create to change

Art has always been the hammer that shapes democracy. Through murals, music, poetry, theater, and performance, artists give voice to the hopes, struggles, and dreams of our communities. They inspire civic participation, confront injustice, and hold open the space where change becomes imaginable. In our darkest moments, artists help us see past the present — and take action toward a better future.

Creative expression is also part of a broader industry that needs support like any small business. Art work is real work — and the performing arts are a real workforce. Small, community-based theaters are where local stories live, emerging artists are trained, and communities gather to see themselves on stage. Post-COVID, many are still fighting to survive. Workforce policy is inseparable from broader cultural policy. The Performing Arts Equitable Payroll Fund (PAEPF) helps community theaters stay afloat — offsetting payroll costs so artists can keep creating and small theaters don't go dark. In its first year, PAEPF revealed an unmet need of \$40 million. The demand is real. The gap is urgent.

Join us in calling for \$40 million to recommit to the PAEPF — to protect arts workers, stabilize the industry, and keep California's stages alive for the stories that shape our future.

When we fund the arts, we strengthen the equality, representation, and freedom that define our democracy.

To learn more, visit [caforthearts.org/accm-2026](https://caforthearts.org/accm-2026)



## **WATERCOLOR CONTEST**

Our Watercolor Contest Exhibition reception was held this past Friday on April 10, 2026. We are so proud of all our students for entering this contest and supporting each other in celebrating their exhibition!

Thirty-Eight artworks will be on display at the dA Center for the Arts till April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026.

Can't make it in person? Check out our virtual exhibition on our website or here:

### [2026 Watercolor Contest Virtual Exhibition](#)

Afterwards, the nine award winners will be featured in a year-long exhibit in City Hall.

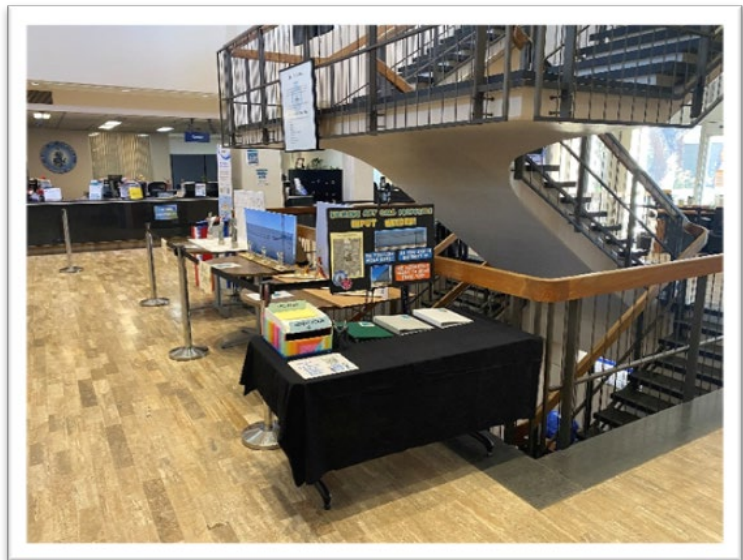
If you have any questions, you can e-mail us at—[PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov) OR call—English: (909)620-2253 | Español: (909)620-2191



## **SIEMENS CALL FOR ART**

Part B: Proposals have been submitted for the SIEMENS Call for Art. We have three proposals for the public to comment on hosted in City Hall. Visit us Monday – Thursday from 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. to see the three submitted proposals and all comments will be collected to support Cultural Arts Commission when they make their final decision on April 27, 2026.!

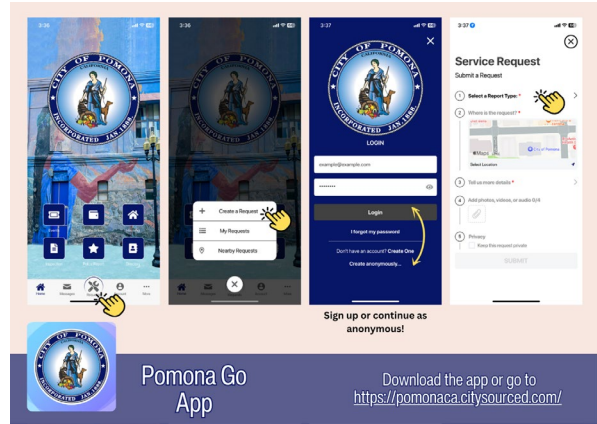
Public comment may be submitted via e-mail only to [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov) with the header “CAC Public Comment 4.27.26” before the Cultural Arts Commission meeting on April 27, 2026.



## **ARTWORK PRESERVATION**

The City's art collection requires ongoing preservation efforts, and we are continuously working to implement the most sustainable, effective, and efficient care strategies. We sincerely appreciate the staff and residents who have reported instances of vandalism or deterioration in our public artworks—your efforts help us ensure the longevity and integrity of the collection.

If you notice issues with public art, please don't hesitate to contact us at [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov) with a photo and the location, or use the [Pomona Go app!](#) This all-in-one app allows you to easily report a variety of City-related concerns, including those about public art. You can access the app here: [Pomona Go | Pomona, CA \(pomonaca.gov\)](#).



Note: If you've submitted a mural not listed here, please wait for the following week to see its status here. Be sure to utilize the [Pomona Go App](#) or e-mail us at [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov)!

TYPE	LOCATION	STATUS
1 Mural (Restroom Building) – Ongoing Project	Kellogg Park	OPENED
1 Murals (Community Center) – Ongoing Project	JFK Park	OPENED
1 Mural (Restroom Building) – Ongoing Project	Jaycee Park	OPENED
3 Murals (Community Center)	Kiwanis Park	OPENED

*\*Ongoing Projects – require more support and therefore have a longer clean up time.*

### **ART IN PUBLIC PLACES NEWSLETTER**



We heard your call for a centralized source of local happenings and resources, so we'll be publishing a newsletter on the first Thursday of every month starting...now!

Sign up here - [Cultural Arts | Pomona, CA](#)

Our newsletter will be emailed every first Thursday of the Month! They'll also be released on our website the day prior so check it out now!

### **DEVELOPMENT SERVICES** **HISTORIC DISTRICT STREETLIGHT SURVEY**

Many of our streetlight bulbs need to be replaced. Unfortunately, the High-Pressure Sodium bulbs that have been in our streetlights are no longer available. The most common bulb is an LED bulb which emits a bright white light instead of the amber color of the High-Pressure Sodium bulbs. Neither of these bulbs are historically accurate and a soft white bulb, reminiscent of the old incandescent bulbs are historically what would have existed at the time. Since the City of Pomona has to switch lightbulbs, we are seeking your input. We have installed each of the bulb colors on a streetlight on the 300



block of Lincoln Avenue. The light at the NW corner of Lincoln and Palomares is a typical Bright White LED bulb. The light at 381 Lincoln is a Soft White LED, which is more like old incandescent bulbs. The light at 382 Lincoln is an Amber color LED similar to the existing High-Pressure Sodium bulbs.

Please take the survey and tell us which light color you prefer.

To find out more go to [www.pomonaca.gov/streetlights](http://www.pomonaca.gov/streetlights) or follow the QR Code below to take the survey:

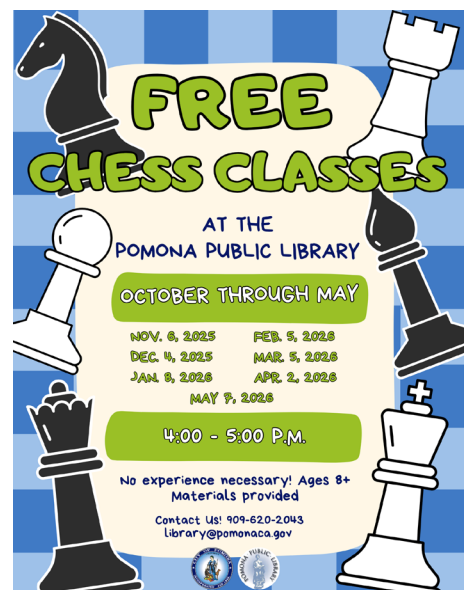
**LATEST PLANNING COMMISSION DECISIONS AND APPEAL DATES LISTED BELOW:**

**PLANNING COMMISSION (PC) AGENDA ITEMS**

	<b>Project Description</b>	<b>PC Decision</b>	<b>Appeal Ends</b>
City of Pomona Citywide (CODE-000378-2025)	City Initiated request for a Zoning & Development Code Amendment.	CODE-000378-2025 Recommended to City Council for approval April 22, 2026	n/a
John Peña, Señor Sushi & El Jefe Restaurants 101 W. Mission Blvd, Suite 101 CC District No. 2 (MODCUP-000278-2024 Code & Nuisance Compliance Review)	Receive and File staff's determination that File No(s). MODCUP-000278-2024 is complying with the conditions of approval and is not a public nuisance in accordance with Condition of Approval #22 of Planning Commission Resolution No. 24-024.	MODCUP-000278-2024 Determined applicant is complying with conditions of approval April 22, 2026	n/a

**LIBRARY**  
**CHESS CLASS**

Join us at our next Chess Class on Thursday, May 7, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. Whether you're new to the game or looking to improve your skills, everyone is welcome! All materials will be provided, just bring your curiosity and enthusiasm. Summer chess class schedule coming soon! Registration not required. Contact the Pomona Public Library for more information at **909-620-2043** or [library@pomonaca.gov](mailto:library@pomonaca.gov)



***HUMAN RESOURCES***  
**NEW EMPLOYEES WELCOMED**

THE CITY OF POMONA

**WELCOMES  
NEW EMPLOYEES**

Back Row:

- Emmanuel Mefom  
Community Services
- Alfredo Padilla  
Water Resources
- Adrienne Peterson  
Development Services
- Jean-Michael Serrano  
Police
- Matthew Abrego  
Community Services

Front Row:

- Sebastian Morales  
Community Services
- Diana Barrera  
Community Services
- Adriana Orozco  
Development Services
- Mariana Gutierrez  
Police
- Haley Perez- Rodriguez  
Community Services

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Are you interested in pursuing a career in local government? If so, the City of Pomona is an excellent option to consider! The City offers a generous benefits package that includes medical, dental, life, and disability insurance, vacation leave, paid holidays, and retirement benefits. Please browse our [current job openings](#) to see if a position is right for you. If you need assistance locating your ideal job, please fill out a "Job Interest Card." You will receive automated email notifications for job openings that match your preferred job categories within the City of Pomona. Don't hesitate to [apply today!](#)

Job Title	Job Type	Salary	Filing Date
Children and Youth Services Director	Full-Time	\$170,419.00 - \$228,378.00 annually	Continuous
Lateral Police Officer	Full-Time	\$8,614.00 - \$10,516.00 monthly	12/31/26
Library Clerk II <b>Closing Soon!</b>	Part-Time	\$24.54 - \$26.00 hourly	04/26/26
Maintenance Worker I - Paint and Sign <b>Closing Soon!</b>	Part-Time	\$18.39 - \$28.93 hourly	04/26/26
Police Officer Recruit	Full-Time	\$7,459.00/Month	05/10/26

Police Records Specialist I	Full-Time	\$4,228.00 - \$5,143.00 monthly	05/10/26
Utility Associate Civil Engineer	Full-Time	\$10,036.00 - \$12,199.00 monthly	Continuous
Water Utility Crew Leader - Distribution	Full-Time	\$6,596.00 - \$8,018.00 monthly	Continuous

## ***NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES***

### **NEW AFFORDABLE HOUSING OPPORTUNITY @ PERSIMMON**



Introducing a Limited Opportunity at Persimmon

## **NEW MODERATE-INCOME PROGRAM**



Moderate-income families are invited to experience new construction homes at Persimmon in Pomona by applying for this limited program. Persimmon by Brandywine Homes has 7 homes designated for those who income-qualify. Income qualification guidelines for the City of Pomona must be met with a maximum household income of **\$138,150**.

The City of Pomona Neighborhood Services Department is excited to introduce a newly developed community coming to Pomona - ***'Persimmon'*** by Brandywine Homes located at 675 East Mission Avenue, Pomona, 91766.

Persimmon will be a gated community of 36 townhomes. Seven (7) of these homes are designated affordable with a purchase price of \$410,000. Buyers who meet eligibility requirements will not pay more than 35% of their household's gross income towards housing costs.

#### **Features & Highlights:**

- Gated Community
- 3-Bed, 2.5 Bath, 3-Car Garage
- Approx. 1,634 sq. ft.
- Private Deck & Front Porch
- Designer finishes and fixtures

**Applying is fast and easy.**

Pre-qualify with Persimmon's Preferred Lender



If you are interested in purchasing a home at Persimmon, please contact Persimmon Sales Coordinator directly at (909) 552-6088.

The City of Pomona may be able to assist with your purchase through the City's First Time Homebuyer program. The program offers financial assistance of up to \$158,000

to low-income, first-time homebuyers in the form of a deferred loan where no monthly payments are required.

Please see below for the 2025 income limits by household size:

Household Size	80% AMI	Household Size	80% AMI
1	\$ 84,850	5	\$ 130,850
2	\$ 96,950	6	\$ 140,550
3	\$ 109,050	7	\$ 150,250
4	\$ 121,150	8	\$ 159,950

If you would like more information on the City’s First Time Homebuyer Program, please contact the City’s Neighborhood Services Department at (909) 620-2368.

## **POLICE**

### **DISPATCH SUPERVISOR WINS RUNNER-UP FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE**

The Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (APCO) awarded Dispatch Supervisor Camma Capraro runner-up honors for Outstanding Performance of an Individual at the annual APCO Awards.

This recognition reflects her professionalism, leadership, and dedication to supporting both her team and the community.



### **DISPATCH APPRECIATION WEEK**



From Sunday, April 12, to Saturday, April 18, the Pomona Police Department celebrated Dispatch Appreciation week.

So far this year, our dispatch team has answered 20,108 emergency calls and 50,155 non-emergency calls. They are the calm voice behind the chaos, and we can’t thank them enough for all their hard work!

## **LT. MARTINEZ TO HOST DISTRICT 4 AREA COMMANDER MEETING**

On Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM, Lt. Martinez will host the District 4 Area Commander meeting at Pilgrim Church (600 N. Garey Ave.) to discuss ongoing concerns and updates within the district.

During the meeting, Lt. Martinez will have guest speakers Chaplain Jackie Dennis, along with members of the Pomona PD Sexual Exploitation and Trafficking Team (SETT), Homeless Encampment Action Response Team (HEART), Mental Health Evaluation Unit (MHEU), Real Time Information Center (RTIC), and he will discuss Procedural Justice. Each unit will provide insight into their roles and share information on the resources and services they provide to the community.

Attendees will also have the opportunity to ask questions, engage with staff, and learn more about the department's ongoing efforts to address community needs.

POMONA POLICE DEPARTMENT

**DISTRICT 4  
AREA  
COMMANDER**

WED., APRIL 29, 2026  
6:00 PM  
PILGRIM CHURCH  
600 N. GAREY AVE

**Pomona PD Work Groups:**

- CHAPLAIN JACKIE DENNIS
- SEXUAL EXPLOITATION AND TRAFFICKING TEAM
- HOMELESS ENCAMPMENT ACTION RESPONSE TEAM
- MENTAL HEALTH EVALUATION UNIT
- REAL TIME INFORMATION CENTER
- PROCEDURAL JUSTICE

\*5:00 PM -  
AB 481, Military  
Equipment  
Presentation

Donations provided by:

**Lieutenant Martinez**  
District 4 Area Commander

**Elizabeth Ontiveros-Cole**  
District 4 Councilmember

Logos for City of Pomona, Pomona Police Department, and sponsors: Biscuits, CATALAN, and McDonald's.

## **STAY CONNECTED WITH POMONA PD**

Keeping our community informed is a top priority for the Pomona Police Department. To better serve you, we are transitioning our notification services.

Effective April 1, 2026, we will no longer be using Nixle for community alerts. To make sure you don't miss a beat regarding local police activity and upcoming events, please take a moment to register for our new email notification list:

Register for email updates: [eNotification News | Pomona, CA](#)

Don't forget to follow us @pomonapd on Instagram and Facebook for more daily highlights and community news. Thank you for partnering with us to keep Pomona safe!

**SIGN UP FOR OUR  
E-NEWSLETTER**

Receive important City & Police updates.  
No noise. Delivered directly to you.

[www.pomonaca.gov/government/newsletter-signup](http://www.pomonaca.gov/government/newsletter-signup)

**STAY IN THE KNOW, POMONA!**

Logos for City of Pomona and Pomona Police Department.

## **PUBLIC WORKS**

### **COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP, SHRED & HHW EVENT – APRIL 25, 2026**

The City of Pomona, in partnership with Athens Services, will be hosting a Community Clean-Up event on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>. The event is a great opportunity for residents to

responsibly dispose of unwanted bulky items, household hazardous waste (HHW), and recycle documents properly.

**CITY OF POMONA CLEAN-UP**

**Athens Services**

Saturday, April 25, 2026  
8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Palomares Park  
499 E. Arrow Hwy,  
Pomona, CA 91766

Athens Services is providing Pomona residents with a spring clean-up collection event for bulky items, document shredding and household hazardous waste (HHW) at no charge.

This event is for Pomona residents only (must show ID, proof of residency or a utility bill).

**ACCEPTABLE ITEMS**  
Include (but are not limited to):  
Driers  
Furniture  
Mattresses  
Refrigerators  
Rugs  
Tree trunks  
Washing machines  
Water heaters  
Sofas  
Beds  
Tree branches  
Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)  
E-waste, paint, cleaners, motor oil, oil filter, household batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, and used antifreeze.

**Document Shredding**

**NOT ACCEPTABLE**  
Explosives, ammunition, and radioactive materials  
Hazardous waste generated by commercial businesses  
Household trash  
Please call Athens for additional information at (888) 338-6100.  
Participation in the event and all items accepted are at your own risk. It is the attendees' responsibility to practice safe lifting and take all protective measures to guard against injury or any other loss.

**LIMPIEZA DE LA CIUDAD DE POMONA**

**Athens Services**

25 de abril de 2026  
8:00 a.m. a 12:00 p.m.

Palomares Park  
499 E. Arrow Hwy,  
Pomona, CA 91766

Athens Services está proporcionando a los residentes de Pomona un evento de recolección de limpieza de primavera para objetos voluminosos, trituración y desechos domésticos peligrosos (HHW) sin costo alguno.

Este evento es solo para residentes de Pomona (debe mostrar identificación, prueba de residencia o factura de servicios públicos).

**ARTÍCULOS ACEPTABLES**  
Incluyen (entre otros):  
Secadoras  
Muebles  
Colchones  
Refrigeradoras  
Alfombras  
Troncos de árboles  
Lavadoras  
Calentadores de agua  
Sofás  
Camas  
Ramas de árboles  
Desechos domésticos peligrosos (HHW)  
Desechos electrónicos (e-waste), pintura, productos de limpieza, aceite de motor, filtro de aceite, baterías domésticas, focos fluorescentes y anticongelante usado.

**\*Trituración de documentos\***

**INACEPTABLES**  
Explosivos, municiones y materiales radiactivos  
Desechos peligrosos generados por negocios comerciales  
Basura doméstica  
Para obtener más información, llamo a Athens al (888) 338-6100.  
La participación en el evento y todos los artículos aceptados son bajo su propio riesgo. Es responsabilidad de los asistentes tener prácticas seguras para levantar objetos y tomar todas las medidas de protección para evitar lesiones o cualquier otra pérdida.

AthensServices.com (888) 338-6100

**Community Clean-Up:** Residents will be allowed to dispose of unwanted household items, including couches and appliances, refrigerators, textiles, mattresses and even yard waste (just cut into 4-foot pieces and bundle it up).

**Shredding Services:** Need to securely shred confidential documents, no problem. There is no limit to the number of documents you bring, just remove all plastic binders and clips.

**Household Hazardous Waste (HHW):** Special waste collection will be accepted exclusively for Pomona residents! If you have unwanted electronic waste, paint, cleaners, motor oil, oil filters, household batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, and used antifreeze, drive by and dispose of responsibly.

- **When:** Saturday, April 25, 2026
- **Where:** Palomares Park, 499 E. Arrow Hwy
- **Time:** 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- **What to Bring:** Unwanted bulky items, household hazardous waste (HHW), and paperwork to shred
- **Vehicles Accepted:** Cars, pick-up trucks, station wagons, vans, and SUV's
- **Proof of Residency:** Participants will need to show proof of Pomona residency, such as a California ID or a utility bill
- **Reminder:** **NO** U-Haul trucks, please!

Join us in keeping our community clean and safe by properly disposing of unwanted and hazardous items.

## **HAPPY EARTH MONTH, POMONA!**

California Senate Bill 1383 (SB 1383) mandates organic waste recycling for all businesses and residents, aiming to reduce landfill waste and redistribute edible food to those in need. Organic waste includes food scraps, food-soiled paper, and yard clippings, which can be recycled into compost or renewable natural gas. Businesses with surplus edible food are required to donate it.

The City of Pomona has updated its SB 1383 website to provide comprehensive information on the law. Residents and businesses can subscribe to the "**Pomona's Green Update**" newsletter to stay informed about updates, upcoming events, giveaways, and helpful recycling tips.



If you have any questions, staff can be reached at (909) 620-3664 or by going to [RecycleYourFood@pomonaca.gov](mailto:RecycleYourFood@pomonaca.gov).

Want to learn more? Visit our SB 1383 website or click on the links below for additional information and resources!!

City of Pomona SB 1383 website: [Short-Lived Climate Pollutants - SB 1383 | Pomona, CA \(pomonaca.gov\)](https://www.pomonaca.gov/short-lived-climate-pollutants-sb-1383-pomona-ca).

Subscribe to the Pomona's Green Update here: [Subscribe to get information about organics and recycling.](#)

## **GANESHA PARK WALKING TRAIL & STEP GRAND OPENING**

The Public Works Department is pleased to announce the upcoming Ganesha Park Walking Trail and Step grand opening! Mark your calendars for **Friday, May 8** at 10 a.m. for this long-awaited and special event!

Come out for a special ribbon-cutting ceremony for the grand opening of the stairs in the Ganesha Park area, off Paige Drive. We hope you'll help spread the word and celebrate this great day for the community! More information to follow.



## **FREE COMPOST GIVEAWAY EVENT – MAY 2, 2026**

The Public Works Department is pleased to announce an upcoming free compost giveaway event to be held on Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. This self-service event will take place at the Public Works Yard. Residents are encouraged to bring durable containers, shovels, and gloves. The compost giveaway is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Date: **Saturday, May 2, 2026**  
Time: **8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**  
(Event is first-come, first-serve basis)  
Where: **Public Works City Yard**  
**636 West Monterey Avenue, Pomona CA**  
Bring: **Durable containers, shovels and gloves** 🧤 🧢

If you would like to get more information on the benefits of composting visit the City of Pomona's SB 1383 website for more information: [Backyard Composting & Giveaways | Pomona, CA.](#)



**Residents of Pomona**

# FREE COMPOST

Saturday, May 2, 2026  
8:00 am to 12:00 pm  
Pomona City Yard  
636 W Monterey Avenue Pomona, CA 91768

Athens' compost is a blend of organic material including a mix of green waste, wood waste, and food scraps.\* Our compost is OMRI Listed® and licensed by the California Department of Food and Agriculture. \*May contain small particles of glass.

- ▶ **POMONA RESIDENTS ONLY** (ID OR BILL REQUIRED)
- ▶ **BRING SHOVELS, DOLLY, AND STURDY CONTAINERS** (SELF-SERVICE EVENT)
- ▶ **NO PLASTIC BAGS ALLOWED**
- ▶ **WHILE SUPPLIES LAST** (30 GALLON LIMIT FIRST HOUR)
- ▶ **NO CONTAINER LARGER THAN 32 GALLONS** DUE TO SAFETY & WEIGHT CONCERNS
- ▶ **DRIVE UP ONLY** (NO WALK-UPS)
- ▶ **GLOVES AND EYE PROTECTION RECOMMENDED**

Participation in the event and all items accepted are at your own risk. It is the attendees' responsibility to practice safe lifting and take all protective measures to guard against injury or any other loss.

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**Residentes de Pomona**

# ABONO GRATIS

Sábado, 2 de mayo de 2026  
8:00 am a 12:00 pm  
Pomona City Yard  
636 W Monterey Avenue Pomona, CA 91768

El abono de Athens es una mezcla de material orgánico que incluye una combinación de desecho verde, desperdicios de madera, y restos de comida.\* Nuestro abono está designado como "OMRI Listed®" lo que significa que es certificado como producido que se puede usar como insumo en agricultura y procesamiento orgánico y autorizada por el Departamento de Alimentos y Agricultura de California. \*Puede contener pequeñas partículas de vidrio.

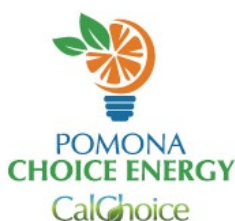
- ▶ **SOLO PARA RESIDENTES DE POMONA** (SE REQUIERE IDENTIFICACIÓN O RECIBO DE PAGOS)
- ▶ **TRAIGA SU PROPIA PALA, TARIMA CON RUEDAS, Y CONTENEDORES RESISTENTES** (EVENTO DE AUTOSERVICIO)
- ▶ **NO SE PERMITEN BOLSAS DE PLÁSTICO**
- ▶ **CANTIDADES LIMITADAS** (LÍMITE DE 30 GALONES DURANTE LA PRIMERA HORA)
- ▶ **ENTRADA SOLO POR VEHÍCULO (NO ENTRE A PIE)**
- ▶ **NO SE PERMITE CONTENEDORES MÁS GRANDES DE 32 GALONES POR MEDIDAS DE SEGURIDAD Y MANEJO DEL PESO**
- ▶ **SE RECOMIENDA USAR GUANTES Y PROTECCIÓN PARA LOS OJOS**

La participación en este evento y todos los artículos recibidos son bajo su propio riesgo. Es la responsabilidad del asistente al evento observar seguridad durante levantamientos y tomar medidas de protección para protegerse de lesiones u otras pérdidas.

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## **WATER RESOURCES**

### **EQUITABLE BUILDING DECARBONIZATION PROGRAM**



Pomona Choice Energy and California Choice Energy Authority (CalChoice) are community partners with the California Energy Commission to offer qualified residents a no-cost home upgrade designed to boost energy efficiency and improve indoor air quality within your home. This is a state program to provide no-cost upgrades and personal support to Pomona.

What's being offered:

Based on your home's unique needs, no-cost upgrades could include:

- ❖ Home weatherization and air sealing
- ❖ A heat pump water heater
- ❖ A heat pump heating and cooling system
- ❖ Electric laundry appliances
- ❖ An induction cooktop
- ❖ Lighting
- ❖ Low-flow shower heads
- ❖ And more!

[Click here for additional information](#). Language assistance is available, at no cost to you.

Please call (424) 285-6602 or visit [www.SoCalEBD.org](http://www.SoCalEBD.org)

### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Upcoming Pomona Events
2. Certified List of Candidates

## 2026 UPCOMING POMONA COMMUNITY EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
<b>Housing Rights Center Daily Events</b>	Housing Rights Workshop, Clinics and Live Q&A	Various	Visit their Facebook page for more info.	<a href="https://facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter">facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter</a>
<b>Patria Church</b>	Generosity Center (Food Pantry)	2nd & 4th Saturday 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Patria Church is opening their Generosity Center	490 E La Verne Ave.
<b>Pomona Community Wellness Center</b>	Free Produce Distribution	Every 2nd Wednesday 12 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Come and get your fresh produce, while supplies last.	750 S Park Ave.
<b>Pomona Community Wellness Center</b>	<a href="#">Pomona Wellness Community (PWC) Events and Programs</a>	-----	Take advantage of wellness and nutrition classes offered by the Pomona Wellness Community	<a href="#">More info here.</a>
<a href="#">LA Care Health Plan</a>	Free Food Pantry	Last Friday of the month 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.	In partnership with God's Pantry, distribution of free grocery items on a first come, first served basis. Free groceries, Free resources, everyone is welcome.	Pomona Community Wellness Center 696 W Holt Ave
<b>Lopez Urban Farm</b>	<a href="#">Pay-What-You-Can Take-What-You-Need</a>	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Market night Wednesdays, Harvest Day Saturdays, and Bodega open daily.	1034 W Mission Blvd.
<b>AMOCA</b>	<a href="#">First Friday Pay-what-you-can</a>	First Friday of the month 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Thanks to generous support from AMOCA's Board of Directors, Museum admission for First Fridays at AMOCA is pay what you can (while tickets last). Each month, visit the Museum and choose your own ticket prices!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
<b>AMOCA</b>	<a href="#">Second Saturdays</a> Docent Led Exhibition Tours	Second Saturday of the month 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	AMOCA's docents offer a guided look into one of their <a href="#">current exhibitions</a> . Second Saturday tours are free with museum admission. Docent-led tours are a great opportunity to explore the exhibition and gain insights into AMOCA's collection and galleries. Don't miss your chance to go behind the scenes and learn about the artworks on view at the museum!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Mental Health Services</b>	Father's Group	3rd Thursday of the month 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Hang out and connect with other parents while watching live sports games and popular movies.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Mental Health Services</b>	Toddler & Me	Every 1st Wednesday 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.	A support group for parents and their children to improve bonding and foster social skills through fun and interactive activities. Come have fun and explore with your child, ages 2-4. Please wear comfortable shoes.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Wednesday/Thursday</b>	Virtual Gardening	Various	Join TCG/ Tri-City to practice mindfulness. Learn how gardening and nature can have a positive impact on mental health and wellness.	Contact (909) 623-6131 to <a href="#">learn how to participate</a>
<a href="#">Community Resource Center</a>	Free In Person Fitness	-----	Exercise (Yoga, Zumba, etc.), Nutrition and Healthy Cooking, Health Education, and Children's Classes.	View calendar <a href="#">here</a>
<b>Pomona Chamber of Commerce</b>	Networking at Noon	2nd Wednesday 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber to learn about the latest trends and community happenings.	Los Primos Tacos #1
<b>Pomona Chamber of Commerce</b>	Coffee Connections	Last Friday of the month 9 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.	Pomona Chamber of Commerce invites you to come out and grab a cup of coffee and join in networking with	1013 San Bernardino Ave.

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			businesses and community leaders	
DPOA	Shop Downtown Pomona	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A day to support and explore local shops featuring special promotions and activities throughout downtown.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
DPOA	<a href="#">Downtown Pomona Artwalk</a>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 10 p.m.	A showcase of artists with art displays, art-gallery openings, craft vendors and live entertainment.	119 W 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
DPOA	<a href="#">909 Open Market</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A night food market featuring various local food vendors and live entertainment.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
DPOA	Walk the Beat in Downtown Pomona	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A music-focused event with live performance, artwork, and vinyl and cassette trading.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
County of LA Public Health	<a href="#">Chat &amp; Connect with a Nurse</a>	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of the month 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Ask your questions about health & services and get connected with the resources you need to live a healthy life!	<a href="#">Pomona Wellness Community</a>
PCS Family Services	Youth Anger Management	Tues/ Thurs 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Classes are free. Help with triggers and cues, learn anger reductions techniques and much more! More information 909-620-0688	Zoom Classes
Pomona Valley Certified Farmers Market	Pomona Farmers Market	Every Saturday 8 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Farmers & Crafters Market with a big heart. Come support small businesses. Lots of vendors, from crafts, produce, tamales, bread, and honey!	Pearl St. & Garey Ave.
Community Services	<a href="#">Senior Social</a>	Tuesdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Crafts, activities, exercise and fun!	Washington & Palomares Park Senior Center
Community Services	<a href="#">Senior Activities – Bingo</a>	Tuesdays & Thursdays 11 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Senior Activities – Bingo	Washington & Palomares Community Center
Community Services	Lawn Bowling	Mondays & Wednesdays 10 a.m.	Pomona Lawn Bowling Club	451 E Arrow Hwy.
The dA Center for the Arts	PUSD Family Friday Art Night	Every 1st, 2nd and 3rd Friday of the Month during the school year from 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	The dA Center for the Arts invites PUSD Families to connect and create in a safe and supported space. The dA offers engaging activities for you to enjoy at your own pace and they serve food and refreshments to make your Fridays easy for parents and caregivers. <a href="#">SIGNUP</a>	The dA Center for the Arts 252 D South Main Street Pomona, CA 91766
American Museum of Ceramic Art	Annual High School Exhibition	Online	Since 2014, AMOCA has hosted an annual juried exhibition showcasing the remarkable talents of high school students studying the ceramic arts. This year, along with their virtual showcase, the winners of each grade category will be on display at AMOCA. All high school students in the U.S. are eligible to apply. <a href="#">To learn more and apply.</a>	Online
American Museum of Ceramic Art	Spring Classes in the Studio	April - May dates and times vary	The AMOCA Ceramics Studio offers classes and workshops, studio rentals, firing services, and an artist-in-residence program. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Friday, April 24	Blood Drive	7 a.m. – 7 p.m.	Spring into giving. Donors will receive two tickets to the Los Angeles County Fair: valid May 7 - May 17, 2026 only. While	Pitzer Auditorium 1798 N. Garey Ave.

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			supplies last. Appointments preferred, walk-ins welcomed.	Pomona, CA 91767
Friday, April 24	<a href="#">Annual Trivia Bee</a>	5:30 p.m. – 7 :30 p.m.	It's all the BUZZ! It's time for Pomona's Annual Trivia Bee! Who will be the smartest team in town? Who will take home the trophy and bragging rights? <a href="#">Sign up now!</a>	Metro Events Center 205 E. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
Friday, April 24	Movie Night – Over the Moon	6 p.m.	Movie Night – Free for all Ages – Free snack included.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, April 25	The Pilgrimage – Roots of Resistance	9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.	<a href="#">Latino &amp; Latina Roundtable</a> in collaboration with the <a href="#">Ohlone Big Time Gathering</a> invite you to join them for their Annual Pilgrimage: Roots of Resistance – Rising for Justice and Human Rights	Starting at Pomona Valley Pride, 235 W Mission Blvd.
Saturday, April 25	Rummage Sale	8 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Pilgrim Congregational Church will hold its twice-yearly rummage sale. It features thousands of items. Teachers' Room will offer books and educational materials at no cost to all teachers.	Pilgrim Congregational Church 600 North Garey Avenue
Saturday, April 25	Health & Wellness Fair	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Resources for Youth, Families, & Seniors Screening: Medica, Dental, Vision exams, immunizations, vaccination and more. Free for all!	Village at Indian Hill Conference Center Entrance 1
Saturday, April 25	Clean-up, Shred Event and HHW Event	8 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Clean-up, Shred Event and HHW Event	Palomares Park
Sunday, April 26	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$15.	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Monday, April 27	Senior Movie Matinee Jumanji	2 p.m.	Free entry, ages 55+. Snacks will be provided.	Tri-City Wellness Center
Tuesday, April 28	Artist Talk with Kristy Moreno	12 p.m. – 1 p.m.	Join AMOCA for a virtual artist talk with Artist in Residence Kristy Moreno to celebrate her residency in the AMOCA Studio. Moreno will share about her practice, past work, and future directions. There will be an opportunity for Q & A following the presentation. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Tuesday, April 28	Adverse Childhood Experiences Free Wellness Webinar	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Join Tri-City for this webinar, which will explore how early life experiences, especially stressful or traumatic ones, can impact long-term health and well-being. They'll share how families and caregivers can better understand these challenges, support healing, and help children teens, and themselves grow stronger through life's difficulties.	<a href="#">Zoom</a>
Wednesday, April 29	April Exhibition Tour: Fired in Revolution	12 p.m. – 1 p.m.	Take a tour of AMOCA's exhibition Fired in Revolution: Ceramics from the People's Republic of China with	AMOCA

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			Executive Director Beth Ann Gerstein. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	
Thursday, April 30	Dia del Niño	3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Food, Activities, piñata & resources.	Martin Luther King Jr. Park 800 W Lexington Ave.
Saturday, May 2	<a href="#">Compost Giveaway</a>	8 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Athens Services is offering Pomona residents a series of free compost giveaways events. These events will be held rain or shine and are for Pomona residents only (please bring ID, proof of residency, or a utility bill).	City Public Works Yard, 636 W Monterey Ave.
Saturday, May 2	Say Y.E.S to Empowerment	9 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Pomona Valley Pride will be hosting this high school & middle school youth empowerment summit. Workshops, guest speakers, entertainment, resource fair & free found	WesternU 309 E 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
Saturday May 2	AIR Compulsion: Artists in Conversation	12 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join AMOCA in the gallery for a fun and informative panel discussion with artists Bianca McPherson, Kristy Moreno, Maxwell Henderson, and Yoon Hwang, the artists behind the exhibition AIR 2026: Compulsion. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Sunday, May 3	Palomares Adobe	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Monday, May 4	Networking Mixer	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Join Southern California Black Chamber of Commerce for their next networking mixer. Get connected with local business and the chamber. Always the first Monday of the month. Bring your business cards to share. Members are always free non -members \$10.00 donation. Please bring exact change or pay via the QR code. <a href="#">RSVP here</a>	CORE - A Community Collaboration 363 S Park Ave. Suite 104A
Tuesday, May 5	Community Pop Up	10 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Pomona Valley Pride will be distributing FREE hygiene kits and clothing.	235 W Mission Blvd.
Friday May 8	Introductory Clay Class - Gnomes	5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	The perfect way to get your hands dirty, relax, and have fun! In this evening introductory class, you'll learn the basics of hand building, using air dry clay. <a href="#">To learn more and apply.</a>	AMOCA
Saturday May 9	Second Saturdays Docent Tour	3 p.m. -3:30 p.m.	Join us at the American Museum of Ceramic Art for a docent-led tour of a current exhibition! The May tour will focus on AIR 2026: Compulsion. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Sunday, May 10	Barbara Greenwood Kindergarten	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the kindergarten build for the teacher that introduced the idea of kindergarten to American schools! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event. \$5	332 W McKinley Ave.
Friday, May 15	<a href="#">Senior Safety &amp;</a>	10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Join Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez for our upcoming	Montclair Senior Center

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	<a href="#">Driving Workshop</a>		Stay Safe, Stay Independent: Senior Safety & Driving Workshop. This special event is designed to provide seniors and their families with important tools, resources, and information to stay safe, informed, and independent. <a href="#">RSVP here.</a>	5111 Benito St.
Saturday May 16	International Museum Day	11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Enjoy free admission to AMOCA—with advance registration—on Saturday, May 16 as part of International Museum Day. AMOCA is open 11 AM-4 PM on May 16; last entry is at 3 PM. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Saturday May 16	Clay Play - Charm Bracelets	11:30a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Looking to fill your Saturday with fun, exciting activities that are all about clay? Come to AMOCA the third Saturday of every month for our Clay Play all ages workshops, where we will offer educational clay activities, admission to our current exhibitions, and undeniable fun for families and caregivers. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Sunday May 17	Family Day: Make Your Mark	11a .m. – 2 p.m.	Bring the whole family to AMOCA for an inspiring day of hands-on art activities, gallery exploration, and interactive experiences designed for all ages. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	AMOCA
Sunday, May 17	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$10.	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Monday, May 11	Budget Study Session	7 p.m.	Review of the Proposed Budget	Council Chambers
Friday, May 22	Annual Talent Show	5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.	Get ready to shine, have fun, and show your amazing talent! Tri-City Wellness center presents their annual talent show open to all ages. Music, Dance, Art, Poetry, Stand up Comedy, Acting and more.	<a href="#">Tri-City Wellness Center</a> 1403 N Garey Ave.
Tuesday, May 26	Special City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Public Hearing for Budget Adoption	Council Chambers
Saturday, May 30	RestoreHER Place Launch & Silent Auction	10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	RestoreHER Place—an initiative dedicated to providing safe housing, mentorship, and supportive services for at-risk women and single mothers with children. Guests will enjoy light refreshments, uplifting music, and powerful testimonials from lives that have been transformed through our mission. The morning will also include a time of connection, vision sharing, and a silent auction to support our programs.	Urban Downtown Lounge The Union on Garey, Suite #302
Sunday, June 7	Palomares Adobe	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the	491 E Arrow Hwy.

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			Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	
Sat/ Sun, June 13-14	Camp & Connect	-----	Camp & Connect	Palomares Park
Sunday, June 14	Casa Primera Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the adobe that the Palomares family was living in while they built the larger Palomares Adobe! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$5.	1569 N Park Ave.
Saturday, June 20	Go Skateboarding Day	-----	Go Skateboarding Day	Shaun Diamond Plaza
Sunday, June 21	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$10.	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Friday, June 26	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Ted Greene Park
Friday, July 3	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Westmont Park
Sunday, July 5	Palomares Adobe	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Friday, July 10	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Jaycee Park
Sunday, July 12	Barbara Greenwood Kindergarten	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the kindergarten build for the teacher that introduced the idea of kindergarten to American schools! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event. \$5	332 W McKinley Ave.
Friday, July 17	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Washington Park
Sunday, July 19	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$10.	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Friday, July 24	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Tony Cerda Park
Friday, July 31	Movies in the Park	-----	Movies in the Park	Dive-In at Ganesha Park
Saturday, August 1	Tierra, Libertad y Pasión	6 p.m.	Step into a powerful story told through dance. Tierra, Libertad y Pasión follows a family's journey through the Mexican Revolution, where sacrifice, courage, and love	Fox Theater

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			shape their destiny. As time passes, the next generation finds its place in the dazzling world of cabaret and Salón México, blending history, culture, and passion on stage.	
Saturday, August 15	Annual Adobe BBQ	TBD	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley for their Annual BBQ!	Palomares Adobe 491 E Arrow Hwy.
Thursday, September 10	Back to School Backpack Giveaway	TBD	Join Kennedy Austin for this Backpack Giveaway!	2040 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, September 19	Clean-up, Shred Event and HHW Event	8 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Clean-up, Shred Event and HHW Event	Palomares Park
Saturday, October 10	7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Courage Awards Luncheon	TBD	7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Courage Awards Luncheon	2040 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, October 10	Clean-up & Shred Event	8 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Clean-up & Shred Event	Washinton Park
Fri & Sat, October 23-24	Haunted House	6 p.m.- 9 p.m.	Haunted House	Palomares Park
Friday, November 20	Turkey Give-Away	TBD	Kennedy Autin's Turkey Give-Away	2040 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, November 21	Christmas on Columbia Decorating Activities	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Christmas on Columbia is actively seeking volunteers. Lunch will be provided, and service hours will be offered to high school students and others who require them.	400 Block of W Columbia
Saturday, December 5	Christmas on Columbia Kick-Off Event	4 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Attendees are invited to enjoy entertainment, access information and resources, and explore a variety of food vendors. Trolley service will be available for remote parking, transporting guests from Ganesha Park to the event location.	400 Block of W Columbia
Monday, December 7	City Hall Lighting Ceremony	6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	City Hall Lighting Ceremony	City Hall
Saturday, December 12	Holiday at the Plaza	3 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Holiday at the Plaza	Shaun Diamond Plaza

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<b>SAMPLE</b>										
Michael	"Mike"	Wilson	12400 Imperial Highway Norwalk, CA 90650	562-462-5555	Incumbent	Mayor				M
<b>QUALIFIED CANDIDATES</b>										
Veronica		Cabrera	Confidential	Confidential	Real Estate Broker	District 3 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Yvonne		Cobarrubias	2 Mesa Ridge Drive Pomona, CA 91766	951-809-6314	Homemaker/City Commissioner	District 5 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Jacky		Elizalde	Confidential	Confidential	Parks Recreation Commissioner	District 2 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Nora		Garcia	944 E. 6th Street Pomona, CA 91766	909-686-1306	Teacher/Pomona Councilmember	District 3 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Rita		Lopez	2069 Pandora Way Pomona, CA 91766	909-248-1312	Insurance Manager	District 3 Councilmember	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
Victor		Preciado	647 W. 11th Street Pomona, CA 91766	909-618-5745	Councilmember/Garey Coach	District 2 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Male

Contact Person: Rosalia A. Butler	Title: City Clerk
Telephone No.: 909-620-2452	Cell Phone No: 909-620-2452 Mon.-Thurs 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
	E-mail: rosalia.butler@pomonaca.gov

This Certified List is approved by: Rosalia A. Butler (Signature of Election Official): [Signature] Date: 3/13/20

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			WILL BE PUBLISHED TO MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC	WILL BE PUBLISHED TO THE MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC						
<b>SAMPLE</b>										
Michael	"Mike"	Wilson	12400 Imperial Highway Norwalk, CA 90650	562-462-5555	Incumbent	Mayor				M
<b>QUALIFIED CANDIDATES</b>										
Elliott		Rothman	1190 Sequoia Glen Pomona, CA 91766	909-815-1318	Businessman/ Consultant	District 5 Councilmember	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Male
Samantha		Zavala-Angulo	Confidential	Confidential	Youth Advocate/Organizer	District 2 Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Female
							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Select
							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Select
							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Select
							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Male

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