



Dear Residents

Happy New Year! I hope 2011 is off to a good start for you. This year, we will see the completion of two of our major strategic initiatives: the Implementation of Phase I of the West Hollywood Park Master Plan, which includes the new West Hollywood Library, and the adoption of the updated General Plan, Climate Action Plan and Environmental Impact Report. The Climate Action Plan is a unique document that encourages us all to help reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Even though we are just a few weeks into 2011, plans are well underway for many of the ever-popular City events that you enjoy including the Women's Leadership Conference in April, the inaugural "WehoGrnWknd" (West Hollywood Green Weekend) in May, the Sunset Strip Music Festival in August and the West Hollywood Book Fair in October, which will coincide with the much-anticipated opening of the new West Hollywood Library.

Please take a few minutes to meet Roderick Burnley, one of the many dedicated employees making West Hollywood a great place to live. In this issue, our new "Companion Animal News" page spotlights some of the services available to our residents with companion animals.

Please join us in the celebration of the opening of the new West Hollywood Park parking structure on Saturday, February 26 at 11 a.m. For more information, visit www.weho.org

And finally, on Tuesday, March 8, don't forget to vote in the Municipal Election. For information about where to vote, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (323) 848-6409.

It is going to be a busy year! I look forward to seeing you soon.

Paul Arevalo,
City Manager

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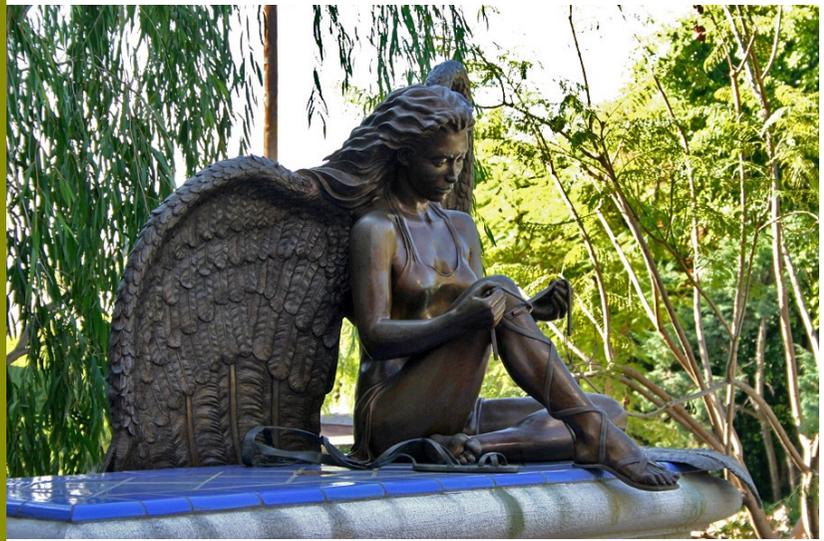
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City Council Public Hearings for the Adoption of the General Plan and Climate Action Plan Continue

The West Hollywood City Council public hearings for the adoption of the updated General Plan, Climate Action Plan and Environmental Impact Report continue. The General Plan is a guiding policy document that defines how the City will use and manage its physical, social and economic resources over the next 25 years. The General Plan update process has been underway since 2007.

The City is also in the process of adopting its first Climate Action Plan. The Climate Action Plan is designed to help combat climate change by reducing West Hollywood's greenhouse gas emissions. The plan offers an opportunity to further the City's leadership in protecting the environment and sustainability. Developed as part of the update of the General Plan and, in collaboration with the community, the Climate Action Plan outlines a course of action to reduce municipal and communitywide greenhouse gas

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URBANE FORMS | In 1990, the City Council adopted the Urban Art Ordinance, which requires developers of certain projects to place art on the site equal to one percent of the building cost. As a result, nearly 50 works of art including murals, fountains and stained glass pieces have been created throughout West Hollywood as part of the Urban Art Collection. Pictured above is "The Lightness of Being" sculpture by Patrick McGrath, which is located at 1414 N. Harper Avenue. The entire collection can be viewed online at www.weho.org/arts



The City Wins Award for Best Government Website

The City of West Hollywood was recently honored with the Web Marketing Association's WebAward for Outstanding Achievement in Web Development as the Best Government Website. Now in its 14th year, the WebAwards are recognized internationally as one of the premier industry-based website awards.

This year, the Web Marketing Association's WebAward Competition recognized websites in 96 different industries. Websites were judged using seven criteria: design, ease of use, copywriting, interactivity, use of technology, innovation and content. The competition was judged by a team of independent internet professionals representing a variety of relevant disciplines of website development. Judges included members of the media, advertising executives, site designers, creative directors, corporate marketing executives, content providers and webmasters.

In addition to the WebAward, the City's website also received the 2010 MarCom Platinum Award in its international awards competition and the W3 Silver Award from the International Academy of the Visual Arts.

City Awarded B.E.S.T. APWA Project of the Year Award for The Sunset Strip Beautification Project

The City of West Hollywood has been awarded the 2010 B.E.S.T. (Building Excellence, Shaping Tomorrow) APWA Project of the Year Award in Transportation from the Southern California Chapter of the American Public Works Association (APWA) for the City's Sunset Strip Beautification Project.

Last year, Sunset Boulevard, also known as "The Sunset Strip" and one of the most famous streets in the world, underwent a facelift after more than 75 years of use. (The Sunset Boulevard roadway had not been repaved since the County of Los Angeles replaced the original dirt road with concrete in the 1930s.) The Sunset Strip Beautification Project (SSBP) was completed in August 2010.

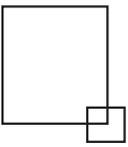
Improvements to the Sunset Strip included:

- Replacing the roadway surface with rubberized asphalt
- Traffic signal upgrades
- Repairing broken and damaged sidewalks and widening the public sidewalk at Sunset Plaza
- Planting flowering trees at the west entrance to the City
- Creating a shade tree district with Golden rain trees as well as a Palm tree district and Magnolia tree district
- Installing a new planted median at the west entrance to the City
- Planting flowering trees at the east entrance to the City



The total cost of the SSBP infrastructure investment was \$5.4 million. The majority of the funding, \$4.3 million, was from the City's Capital Improvement budget, while \$1.1 million was funded through the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act of 2009. The project created and saved more than 160 jobs.

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Roderick Burnley | Helping Residents Create Their Vision of Community

Roderick Burnley has been a Project Development Administrator in the City's Rent Stabilization and Housing Department for more than seven years, where he quietly does the good work of "making life better for low and moderate income people." In this unsung position, Roderick is the key staff on the East Side Redevelopment Project. He also was a major contributor to the City's Housing Element, which was recently approved by the State. Roderick is also involved in the administration of Community Development Block Grant funds (CDBG).

The CDBG program is a flexible federal program that provides annual grants to local government and states to address a wide range of unique community development needs. CDBG funds are used in a variety of ways to revitalize an area and improve the standard of living for low and moderate income people including providing low and moderate-income housing, rehabilitation of commercial buildings, and certain public works projects.

Roderick also works with the City's Director of Rent Stabilization and Housing to coordinate and manage the redevelopment of potential sites for affordable housing in West Hollywood. His other duties include speaking to the community about affordable housing issues.

In the Redevelopment area, Roderick has worked with the Project Advisory Committee (PAC) to author the Redevelopment Project's Five-Year Plan, and has been involved in all the major projects that have recently been approved for the area including Movietown Plaza and the two Monarch projects on La Brea Avenue. He also participated in the review panel responsible for selecting artists for the East Side Arts Initiative.

"My favorite part of the job is seeing a project, particularly on the City's east side, become the residents' vision of what they had for the site," said Roderick. "When we are able to accomplish this goal it is fulfilling because we're helping people take charge of their community and make it better," he continued.

"It is amazing to see this 35-member committee work



Roderick Burnley

together for the purpose of enhancing the quality of life of east side residents, business and community organizations," said Roderick. "The members have a vision of change but understand that change is not always easy. Change often requires consensus and at times compromise. They have been able to reach consensus without compromising their individual values while diligently pursuing the collective vision of the committee," he continued.

Roderick attended California State University, Northridge and earned a bachelor's degree in Urban Studies with a minor in Economics. He completed his master's degree in Urban Planning at the University of

California, Los Angeles. Following graduation from UCLA, Roderick was hired by the City of Pinole, a small town about 10 miles outside of Berkeley. While in Pinole, he was involved in redevelopment projects and general government projects. These included the renovation of a neighborhood park, the development of a soccer field and the construction of a fire station. Roderick lived in the Bay Area for three years before applying for the position he now holds at the City of West Hollywood.

Roderick has been married to his college sweetheart, Meredith, for nine years and the couple has a 20-month old daughter named Kendall.

A self-described "urban gen Xer," Roderick is a hip-hop fan whose favorite musician is India Arie. His hobbies include hiking at Baldwin Hills Scenic Overlook and Kenneth Hahn State Park. He also enjoys solo trips to Knott's Berry Farm, where he is able to meet interesting people while waiting in line for his favorite ride, the roller coaster Xcelerator. Although he hasn't been to Knott's Berry Farm for a while, he jokes that he's waiting for Kendall to grow a few more inches so he'll have an excuse to test the rides at Camp Snoopy.

In the future, Roderick would like to experience the architecture of the public spaces and institutional buildings in the Netherlands, which he finds particularly forward thinking and dynamic.



Affordable Housing Project for Seniors Breaks Ground

The West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation (WHCHC) recently celebrated the groundbreaking of the Hayworth House Apartments, located at 1234 N. Hayworth in West Hollywood. The Hayworth House Apartments are a 48-unit affordable housing development that will be home to very-low-income Seniors. The Hayworth House Apartments were built in 1950 as market-rate apartments. The building has been vacant since 2004. Rehabilitation work started in November 2010 and should be completed by early 2012.

The Hayworth House Apartments will feature state-of-the-art green building elements. Two elevators will be installed, and all the exterior areas will be

completely upgraded to add new patios, landscaping, water features and pedestrian amenities. The building will incorporate a full range of energy-saving systems, including HVAC, appliances and windows. New community rooms and offices will look out over the front plaza, which will provide residents a welcoming place to relax and interact with neighbors.

Income-eligible Seniors who were displaced by the previous owner will have the first right to return to the building. The remaining available units will be rented through a lottery, which will be held in Fall 2011. Information about the lottery for the Hayworth House Apartments will be available in Summer 2011 on the City's website.



Phase I of the West Hollywood Park Master Plan has made great progress since construction began 18 months ago. The new West Hollywood Library, parking structure and park expansion are now a commanding presence in West Hollywood Park. The interior and exterior painting has been completed and permanent lighting installation is currently being installed. Over the past several months improvements to San Vicente Boulevard began. This work included the planting of several new street trees, improvements to the sidewalk, and the start of the construction of the ceremonial stairs. Recently, four elm trees were planted along San Vicente Boulevard along with one Ginkgo biloba tree. In early January 2011, the plinth garage deck, with its additional park space, will receive three Ginkgo biloba trees.



Lost a Pet? Found a Pet?

Through an innovative pilot program, people who have lost their animals or who have found lost animals can now call the City of West Hollywood's Lost and Found Animal Hotline. The toll-free number is (888) 440-9366.

The Lost and Found Animal Hotline is a telephone information center where callers can leave a message to report a lost animal or found animal, or listen to a listing of lost and found animals. If callers hear a description of their lost pet on the hotline, they can contact a City liaison that will help facilitate a reunion between the lost pet and its guardian. Likewise, residents who have found a lost pet can call the Lost and Found Animal Hotline to leave a description of the animal.

Information on the Lost and Found Animal Hotline will remain for 10 consecutive days. Also provided on the hotline is general information about animal care and control services offered by the City of West Hollywood.

Low-Cost Vaccination Clinic set for Saturday, March 19, 2011

The City of West Hollywood and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) Los Angeles will conduct a low-cost vaccination clinic on Saturday, March 19, 2011 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Fiesta Hall Courtyard at Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Boulevard.

The clinic will offer rabies vaccinations and microchipping for cats and dogs; DHPP and Bordetella vaccinations for dogs; and FVRCP and Leukemia vaccinations for cats. The fee for microchips at the clinic is \$25 for cats and dogs. Rabies vaccinations are \$5 for cats and dogs. DHPP, FVRCP and Leukemia vaccinations are \$15 and Bordetella vaccinations are \$10. For more information, contact Helen Collins at (323) 848-6895.



Gracie Molina-Urquidez, a Shih-poo who lives in West Hollywood

New Local Facility for Lost Companion Animals in West Hollywood

As a result of resident concerns about driving long distances to pick up lost animals, the City has contracted with the Amanda Foundation, a non-profit organization that temporarily houses lost animal companions. If your animal companion is retrieved by Los Angeles County Animal Care and Control it will now be transported locally to the Amanda Foundation, which is located at 351 N. Foothill Road in Beverly Hills.

The Amanda Foundation facility is open for animal pick-up Monday through Saturday. It has a fully equipped veterinary clinic on the premises should medical attention for an animal be necessary. All animal companions that have not been reclaimed after a 10-day stay at the Amanda Foundation facility will be transferred to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (spca-LA) facility at 12910 Yukon Avenue in Hawthorne. Once the animal is placed at the spca-LA Adoption Center, it will be held for a minimum of four days, after which time it will be held indefinitely pending adoption.

In the near future, in cooperation with the Los Angeles County Animal Care and Control and the

Amanda Foundation, all animal companions taken to the Amanda Foundation for safekeeping will be photographed. The photograph and a brief description of each animal will be placed on the City's website to better assist guardians in their search.

For more information about City's animal companion services, please call (323) 848-6895 or visit www.weho.org

Leash Your Dog

Please be a responsible animal guardian.

Remember to pick up after your dog and keep the dog on a leash while in public.

It's the law.

For more information, please contact the City's Commercial Code Compliance Division at (323) 848-6375



City of West Hollywood to Host the 5th Annual West Hollywood Women's Leadership Conference: "Unlimited Opportunities – Knowledge, Power, Community" on Friday, April 8 and Saturday, April 9, 2011

The City of West Hollywood will host the 5th Annual West Hollywood Women's Leadership Conference: "Unlimited Opportunities – Knowledge, Power, Community," which will be held on Friday, April 8, 2011 and Saturday, April 9, 2011.

The goal of the West Hollywood Women's Leadership Conference is to encourage and support women to be successful leaders in their private lives, in business and in the community. The Women's Leadership Conference will kick off on Friday, April 8, 2011 at the Pacific Design Center, 8687 Melrose Avenue in West Hollywood, with a screening of the film *Fair Game* and a panel discussion on nuclear security, co-sponsored by Participant Media.

On Saturday, April 9, 2011, the day-long Women's Leadership Conference will be held at Plummer Park in West Hollywood. The conference will feature panel discussions, expert-led workshops and a luncheon with a keynote panel. The Women's Leadership Conference will also include leadership training for those interested in becoming an elected or appointed official. The leadership training will be facilitated by two noted women's leadership organizations: California Women Lead and the National Women's Political Caucus/ LA-Westside Chapter.

For more information about the 5th Annual West Hollywood Women's Leadership Conference, please call (323) 848-6460 or visit www.weho.org/wlc

Save the Date! "WehoGrnWknd" Citywide Yard Sale set for Saturday, May 14, 2011 and Sunday, May 15, 2011

Helping the environment and making money has never been so easy. Make some extra cash at the City of West Hollywood's first free citywide yard sale, one of the environmental-friendly events planned for "WehoGrnWknd" (West Hollywood Green Weekend) to be held on Saturday, May 14, 2011 and Sunday, May 15, 2011. For one weekend, West Hollywood is turning into a citywide estate sale! Cruise for bargains all over town and go green by reducing waste and keeping valuable resources out of the landfill. Whether you're trying to clear out your attic or searching for secondhand treasures, reusing items is one of the smartest ways to reduce waste.

All participants must register for the "WehoGrnWknd" with the City of West Hollywood, just as you would for any other yard sale within the City. Pre-registration to participate will be required as limited spaces are available.

For more information, please contact the City of West Hollywood's Office of Environmental Services at (323) 848-6404 or visit www.weho.org/wehogrnwknd

Take the opportunity to do some spring cleaning during "WehoGrnWknd" (West Hollywood Green Weekend). The City of West Hollywood is sponsoring a free Document Shredding and E-Waste Collection on Saturday, May 14, 2011 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at West Hollywood City Hall, 8300 Santa Monica Boulevard. West Hollywood residents and businesses are encouraged to get rid of all those unwanted and unsellable items such as televisions, computers, monitors, laptops, DVD players, fax machines, telephones and more. Document shredding is "secure", which means that the shredding is done at the collection site. Participants can even watch their documents be shredded! For more information, call (323) 848-6404. For a complete list of items accepted, visit www.californiarecycles.com



The West Hollywood Book Fair is a popular stop for celebrity authors looking to promote their latest published works. Pictured below (far left) comedian Sarah Silverman; (far right) *Nappily Ever After* author Trisha R. Thomas and actress Victoria Rowell.



10th Annual West Hollywood Book Fair set for Saturday, October 1, 2011

The City of West Hollywood will host the 10th Annual West Hollywood Book Fair on Saturday, October 1, 2011 at West Hollywood Park, 647 North San Vicente Boulevard in West Hollywood. The West Hollywood Book Fair will feature 15 stages with author panels, special guests and live performances, 150 exhibitors and writing workshops. The West Hollywood Book Fair is one of Southern California's largest, most eclectic literary events attracting readers and writers of all ages and interests.

This year the West Hollywood Book Fair will also celebrate the opening of the much-anticipated new West Hollywood Library.

For more information about the West Hollywood Book Fair, contact Roz Helfand or Carrie LaFerle at (323) 848-6515 or rhelfand@weho.org or westhollywoodbookfair@gmail.com or visit www.westhollywoodbookfair.org

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emissions that contribute to climate change.

The Climate Action Plan includes strategies and performance indicators to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. These strategies address seven major greenhouse gas sources and recommend actions to achieve greenhouse gas reductions through the following:

- Community leadership and engagement
- Land use and community design
- Transportation and mobility
- Energy use and efficiency
- Water use and efficiency
- Waste reduction and recycling
- Green space

In addition to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, many of the policies included in the Climate Action Plan have the added benefit of improving the quality of life in West Hollywood. These include improving pedestrian amenities along City streets; reducing water use; incentivizing renewable energy; reducing waste; expanding green space; and more aggressive measures such as implementing a point-of-sale retrofit program that would require energy and water efficiency upgrades to buildings prior to sale. The plan also includes measures that will greatly increase the amount of solar power generated in West Hollywood.

The following are upcoming City Council public hearings for the adoption of the updated General Plan, Climate Action Plan and Environmental Impact Report. **(All meetings will be held at 6:30 p.m. at West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Boulevard, in West Hollywood.)** Please plan to attend and continue to provide your input as the City Council continues its discussion.

■ **Monday, February 7, 2011**

The Climate Action Plan measures and implementation.

■ **Tuesday, February 22, 2011**

Draft General Plan Mobility policies.

■ **Monday, March 21, 2011**

Discussion of Draft General Plan Historic Preservation, Economic Development, Human Services, Parks and Open Space, and Safety and Noise policies.

■ **Monday, May 2, 2011**

The final General Plan, Climate Action Plan and Environmental Impact Report will be considered for City Council approval.

The dates above are subject to change, please visit www.weho.org/generalplan to confirm. For more information, please contact Bianca Siegl in the City's Community Development Department at (323) 848-6853, or by email at bsiegl@weho.org. For the deaf and hard of hearing, please call (323) 848-6496.



City Awarded 2010 B.E.S.T. APWA Project of the Year Award for Robot Sewer Inspection



Solo Robot

The Southern California Chapter of the American Public Works Association (APWA) has awarded the City of West Hollywood the 2010 B.E.S.T. (Building Excellence, Shaping Tomorrow) APWA Project of the Year Award for the City's Robot Sewer Inspection program.

The City of West Hollywood is the first city in California to use the state-of-the-art Solo robot, which is the first autonomous sewer inspection robot. The Solo robot is designed to inspect 8-12" sewer pipes without supervision. Municipalities conduct pipe inspections so they can understand where problems occur and can plan preventative maintenance and repairs.

The Solo robot resembles a long brick with one eye at the end and is propelled by a track system similar to an Army tank. The robot is attached to a cord, which acts as a distance measurement and safety feature for the robot to pull itself out of trouble. The robot also has internal sensors, which monitor its stability in the pipe.

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Tips for Protecting Yourself During the Flu Season

The flu season is here and now is the time to ensure that you protect yourself and those around you. Influenza, commonly called the “flu,” is caused by a virus. Every year there is a flu season, which usually peaks in January and February. In the United States, an average of between 5 percent to 20 percent of the population gets the flu and 36,000 people die from flu-related causes every year.

According to the Center for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) website, “The single best way to prevent seasonal flu is to get vaccinated each year, but good health habits like covering your cough and washing your hands often can help stop the spread of germs and prevent respiratory illnesses like the flu.”

Here are some tips from the CDC for staying healthy during the flu season:

■ **Avoid close contact**

Avoid close contact with people who are sick. When you are sick, keep your distance from others to protect them from getting sick too.

■ **Stay home when you are sick**

If possible, stay home from work, school and errands when you are sick. You will help prevent others from catching your illness.

■ **Cover your mouth and nose**

Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing. It may prevent those around you from getting sick.

■ **Clean your hands**

Washing your hands often will help protect you from germs. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand rub.

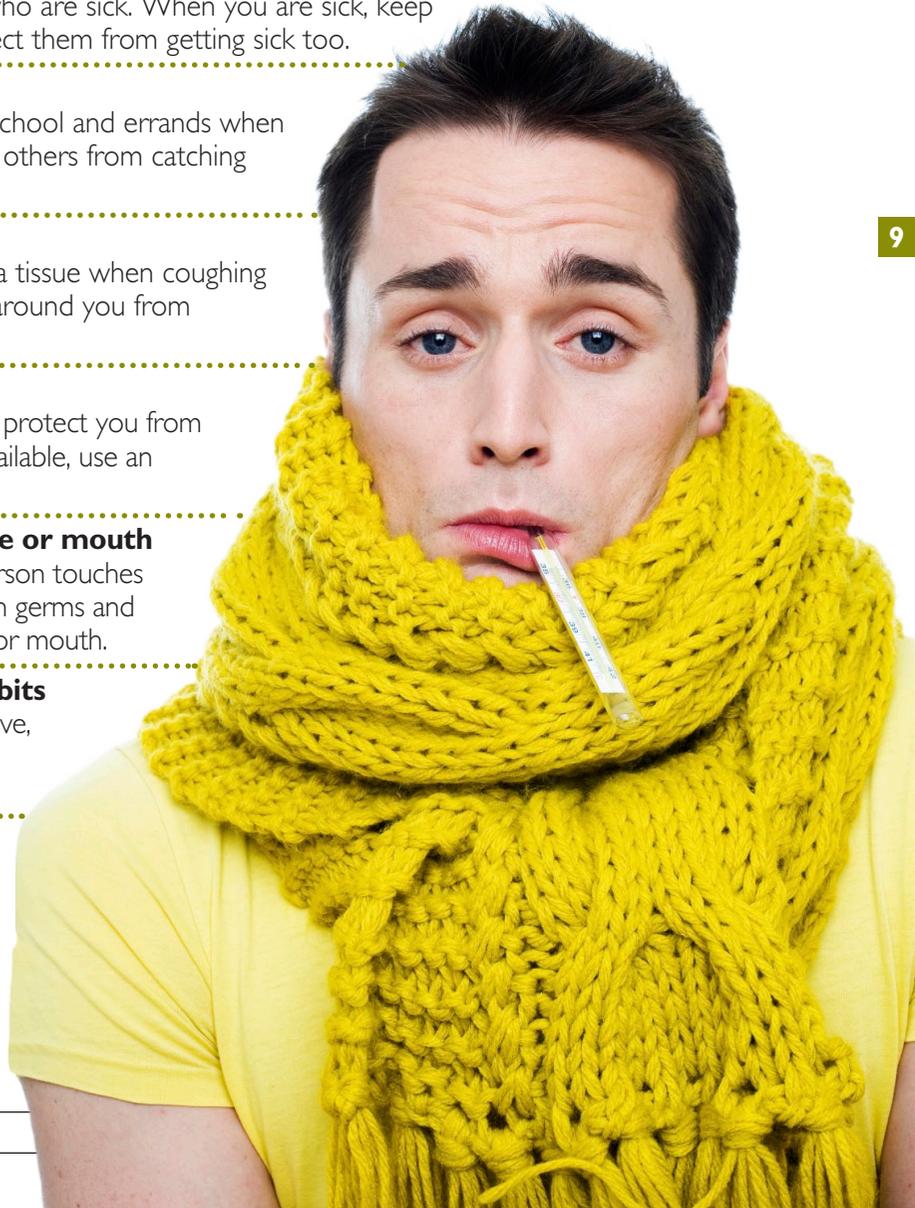
■ **Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth**

Germs are often spread when a person touches something that is contaminated with germs and then touches his or her eyes, nose or mouth.

■ **Practice other good health habits**

Get plenty of sleep, be physically active, manage your stress, drink plenty of fluids and eat nutritious food.

For more information and tips on preventing the flu, please call the City's Public Safety Division at (323) 848-6414 or Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at (800) 232-4636 or visit www.cdc.gov/flu





New Energy Program Provides Rebates and Incentives for West Hollywood Homeowners

West Hollywood homeowners are encouraged to participate in Energy Upgrade California, a new statewide energy efficiency program. Energy Upgrade California in Los Angeles County provides homeowners with a one-stop shop for home efficiency projects that can reduce energy and water use, conserve resources and create more comfortable and efficient homes. Participating homeowners with detached single-family houses may be eligible for up to \$4,500 in rebates and incentives.

Energy Upgrade California in Los Angeles County is a public-purpose program with the goal of promoting energy-efficiency retrofits of the existing building stock in Los Angeles County; putting construction professionals back to work; and reducing greenhouse gas emissions. The aim of Energy Upgrade California in Los Angeles County is for participating property owners to achieve at least a 20 percent reduction in energy consumption in their homes. The program hopes to improve energy efficiency in as many as 30,000 houses in Los Angeles County by the end of 2012.

Homeowners will have a choice of upgrade packages and options that qualify for rebates and incentives, from basic weatherization, insulation and sealing of their house to installing energy efficient windows, tankless water heaters, air conditioners, and even installing solar panels.

For more information, please visit www.lacountyenergyprogram.org or call (877) 785-2237.

Hollywood Tow Service to Provide Towing and Storage Services in West Hollywood

Effective January 1, 2011, the City has contracted with Hollywood Tow Service to provide vehicle towing and storage services. (The City previously contracted with Johnson's Super Service for towing and storage services.)

Hollywood Tow Service utilizes advance computer technology for monitoring towing operations to maximize its customer service. The company has a proven track record as an official police garage. Hollywood Tow Service also has strong customer service and safety training programs for its employees. In addition, under limited circumstances, taxi transportation to the Hollywood Tow Service storage garage will be provided.

Hollywood Tow Service is located at 1015 N. Mansfield Avenue, just a few blocks east of La Brea Avenue. For more information, please call Don Norte, Parking Services & Development Officer, at (323) 848-6369.

Helping Those in Need: City's Social Services Division Lends a Hand to Residents

"I don't have health insurance, are there any free health services in the area?"

"I'm a Senior and don't drive, so how can I get a ride to my doctor's appointment?"

"Can you tell me about the local schools in the West Hollywood area?"

Did you know that the City of West Hollywood's Social Services Division can answer these questions and more?

The City of West Hollywood's Social Services Division provides social services to improve the quality of life for those in need. Some of the Social Services programs funded by the City include necessities of life such as food and shelter; HIV prevention and substance abuse education, with an emphasis on crystal meth abuse; transit services; pre-school education for young children; job placement; legal services; mental health services; and homeless services. Transit services include subsidized bus passes, taxi coupons, a Dial-a-Ride service and a fixed route shuttle.

The Social Services Division also provides information and referral to residents who walk in or call City Hall, publishes various guides and educational materials, and sponsors special events to promote a healthy West Hollywood.

For more information about the City's Social Services programs, please call (323) 848-6510 or view the Social Services Guide online at www.weho.org/socialservices

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Administrative Citation Hotline	848-6341
AIDS Services and Information	848-6510
Alcoholics Anonymous	936-4343
Animal Control	310/523-9566
• Los Angeles County Department of Animal Care and Control Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	730-5300
• Lost & Found Animal Hotline	888/440-9366
• Animal Waste Complaints	848-6895
Avenues of Art and Design BID	310/289-2534

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Building & Safety	
• Building Inspections	848-6335
• Building & Safety Permits	848-6320
Bus Passes	848-6326
Business Licenses	848-6437
Business License Tax Certificates	848-6554

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Cable Television	
• Time Warner Cable Television	888/892-2253
• CATV Customer Assistance (City of West Hollywood)	848-6536
• Citychannel 10	848-6388
• Public Access/Cable Channel 36	848-6522
Center for Civic Mediation	930-1841
Childcare Information	848-6510
City Clerk's Office	848-6409
City Council Offices	848-6460
City Hall	848-6400
CityLine Shuttle (Route Information)	800/447-2189
City Manager's Office	848-6460
Code Compliance Complaint	
• Administrative Citation Hotline	848-6341
• Commercial Code Compliance	848-6516
• Residential Code Compliance	848-6505
Commercial Revitalization Project	848-6323
Community Development Department	848-6475
Crystal Meth Anonymous	213/488-4455
Condom Distribution (WEHO LIFE)	860-7315

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Disability Services	848-6510
Dial A Ride	800/447-2189
Discrimination Complaints	848-6471
Documents, Copies of Public Records	848-6409
Domestic Partnerships	848-6469

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Economic Development	848-6354
Elections, Municipal	848-6409
Employment Hotline (City of West Hollywood)	848-6309
Environmental Services	848-6404

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Farmers' Market (Plummer Park)	848-6534
Film Permits	848-6489
Finance	848-6451
Fire Department	
• Fire Station #7 864 N. San Vicente Boulevard	310/358-3430
• Fire Station #8 7643 Santa Monica Boulevard	654-5445

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Gay Bashing Complaints (Hate Crimes/Hate Incidents)	848-6371
• Sheriff Station	310/855-8850
Gay and Lesbian Services	848-6471
Graffiti Removal Hotline	848-6557

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Harassment Complaints (Tenant/Landlord)	848-6450
Hearings	848-6481
Historic Preservation	848-6475
HIV Testing	848-6510
Homeless Shelter (P.A.T.H.)	644-2200
Housing Programs	848-6323
• Housing Development Programs	848-6596
• Inclusionary Housing Program	848-6851
• Neighborhood Improvement Program	848-6323
• West Hollywood Housing Authority	848-6323
Human Services Department	848-6471

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Information (City of West Hollywood)	848-6400
Information/TTY (City of West Hollywood)	848-6496

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Libraries	
• June L. Mazer Lesbian Collection	310/659-2478
• West Hollywood Library (Los Angeles County)	310/652-5340
• Will and Ariel Durant Branch Library (City of Los Angeles)	876-2741

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Mediation	848-6436
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Neighborhood Watch	848-6831
Neighborhood Traffic Management Program	848-6328
Noise Complaints	848-6516

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Parking Enforcement	650-6757
Parking Ticket/Citation Information	800/687-2458
Parks	
• Kings Road Park	848-6534
• Plummer Park	848-6530
• West Hollywood Park	848-6534
Permit Parking Center	848-6392
• Recorded Information	848-6340
Personnel (Human Resources)	848-6860
Photo Enforcement Safety Program	877/786-7234

Planning	848-6475
Public Information Office	848-6423
Public Meetings (Information)	848-6409
Public Safety Assistance (Russian-Speaking)	848-6826
Public Safety Office	848-6414
Public Works Department	848-6375

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Redevelopment	848-6418
Recreation Services	848-6308
Recycling	848-6404
Rent Stabilization Department	848-6450
• Rent Stabilization Information Counselor	848-6450
• Residential Code Compliance Hotline	848-6505
Residential Rent Referral List	848-6419
Russian Community Center	969-0919
Russian Community Outreach	848-6826

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Schools	848-6510
Senior Center (Plummer Park)	851-8202
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Sheriff's Station	310/855-8850
Sidewalk Cleaning	848-6471
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Special Events (Information & Permits)	848-6401
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Street Signs	848-6879
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Sunset Strip BID	310/659-7368

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Toxicab Hotline	848-6863
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Trash Collection	848-6404
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TTY Line	848-6496

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Water Conservation	
• City of West Hollywood	848-6404
• Beverly Hills Water Department	310/285-2434
• L.A. County Dept. of Water and Power (DWP)	800/342-5397
West Hollywood Chamber of Commerce	650-2688
West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation (WHCHC)	650-8771
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West Hollywood Bicycle Task Force Created

The City Council has established the West Hollywood Bicycle Task Force with the goal of improving opportunities for bicycling in West Hollywood and throughout the region. The task force will develop recommendations on how to improve bicycle safety and expand bicycling as a viable transit opportunity.

It will also work to ensure regional coordination of existing bicycling programs underway in the cities of Los Angeles, Beverly Hills and other nearby jurisdictions. These include bicycle share programs; bicycle-friendly enhancements to streets and alleys and bicycle parking on sidewalks, among other ideas.



The West Hollywood Bicycle Task Force will also make recommendations for enhancing community education programs regarding bicycle transit and safety. For more information regarding the West Hollywood Bicycle Task Force, please call Michael Barney, Assistant Planner, at (323) 848-6891 or visit www.weho.org