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SUBJECT: Fourth of July Fireworks Celebration

Dear Residents:

For up-to-date info and a map of the best viewing spots, visit: www.cupertino.org/4thofjuly

The Recreation & Community Services Department is pleased to announce that the City's annual Fourth of July fireworks show will continue this year. The fireworks will be launched from Hyde Middle School on Wednesday, July 4 at approximately 9:30 p.m. For safety reasons, the Hyde Middle School campus will be closed and no spectators are allowed at this location.

Please review the following information for important notices that may impact your neighborhood. We ask that you consider these viewing locations, street closures, and parking restrictions as you plan your Fourth of July celebration. Event logistics may change - please visit the events page over the coming weeks for updates: www.cupertino.org/4thofjuly.

Viewing Locations

The City has identified four recommended viewing locations:

- Creekside Park, 10455 Miller Avenue
- Creekside Community Church, 10505 Miller Avenue
- Sedgwick Elementary School, 19200 Phil Lane
- Miller Avenue (between Bollinger Road and Phil Lane) *Spectators will be allowed to find a spot on the street after the street has been safely closed at 5:00 p.m.*

Parking will be extremely limited – it is recommended that you walk, bike, or have someone drop you off if you wish to view the fireworks from these locations. We encourage you to bring a picnic, look for signage and direction from staff as to the exact location where fireworks will be viewable, and settle in for the fireworks show. Please leave your pets at home due to the anticipated crowd size, and for their safety and the safety of others. ADA parking will be available at Sedgwick Elementary School.

Safety & Street Closures

The City is working closely with our law enforcement partners, the Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office and Santa Clara County Fire Department, to ensure a safe event. A dedicated fire rig will be on site at Hyde Middle School to monitor the launch site and any danger from falling embers. The Hyde Middle School campus will be off limits to spectators. Additionally, there will be no pedestrian traffic allowed on Hyde Avenue, Shadygrove Court, Disney Lane, and portions of Shadygrove Drive and Stendhal Lane. Pedestrian traffic will not be allowed in this

area to ensure that public safety vehicles have clear access to the streets adjacent to the launch site.

Necessary streets will be closed to vehicles from 5:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Street closures will be staffed by Sheriff's Deputies and City representatives. Some streets will also be closed to pedestrians. The closed streets include:

- 1. Miller Avenue (Between Bollinger Road and Phil Lane)
- 2. Atherwood Avenue (Between Candlewood Drive and Miller Avenue)
- 3. Howard Court
- 4. Disney Lane (Between Miller Avenue and Stendhal Lane)
- 5. Phil Lane (Between Miller and S. Tantau) closed only for traffic turning from S. Tantau
- 6. Stendhal Lane (Between Disney Lane and Phil Lane)
- 7. Shadygrove Drive (between Tantau Avenue and Stendhal Lane)
- 8. Hyde Avenue (Between Bollinger Road and Shadygrove Drive)
- 9. Willowgrove Lane, Brookgrove Lane, and Ferngrove Drive

Following the event, Sheriff's deputies will manage pedestrian and traffic flow in the neighborhood and viewing sites to ensure a smooth trip home.

No Parking/Towing of Vehicles

There will be no parking from 3:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. on Miller Avenue (from Bollinger Road to Phil Lane) and Hyde Avenue (from Bollinger Road to Shadygrove Drive). There may be additional areas posted as No Parking as the event details are finalized. Any vehicles parked in posted "No Parking" locations will be towed.

Enjoy the Show!

To ensure the best viewing, please turn off your porch lights or landscape lighting during the fireworks show. For their safety and well-being, bring pets inside. Also, be aware that fireworks could trigger car alarms.

If you have any questions about the fireworks show or would like to talk with our event team, please contact Recreation & Community Services at (408) 777-3120 during business hours, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., or email recreation@cupertino.org.

We look forward to seeing you on July 4.

Sincerely,

Christine Hanel, Acting Director Recreation and Community Services Department

cc: David Brandt, City Manager
Cupertino City Council
Parks and Recreation Commission