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Daily Report: COVID-19 Response Update

The City of Cupertino continues to monitor the effects of COVID-19 (coronavirus). The safety of our residents, staff, and visitors remains our highest priority. The following information regards the City's response to the latest recommendations from the County of Santa Clara Public Health Department. These reports will be released every weekday at 5:00 p.m. For more information, visit cupertino.org/coronavirus.

Updates on City Actions and Services

- The following Cupertino Parks and Recreation Department facilities will be closed from Monday, March 16, 2020, through Sunday, April 13, 2020: Quinlan Community Center, Cupertino Senior Center, Cupertino Sports Center, McClellan Ranch Preserve, Monta Vista Rec Center, Creekside Park, Wilson Park Building.
- The rising concerns around COVID-19 (coronavirus) is creating a challenging business climate nationally and locally in Cupertino. This new webpage can serve as a centralized resource for employers, employees, and local small businesses affected by the pandemic: cupertino.org/covid19businessinfo.
- City Hall is closed to public walk-ins beginning on Friday, March 13. For more information, visit cupertino.org/press.
- City Manager Deborah Feng proclaimed a Local Emergency in Cupertino. Read the press release and the full proclamation at cupertino.org/press.

Cancellations/Postponements of Events/Meetings

- Nonessential City organized or cosponsored events and meetings have been canceled through mid-April. They include (events in **bold** have been added today):
 - April Birthday Bash (Canceled)
 - Big Bunny 5K and Fun Run (Canceled)
 - Block Parties (Canceled)
 - Block Party Planning Open House (Postponed)
 - Cherry Blossom Festival (Canceled)

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- Coffee Talks (Canceled)
- Cultures of the World – Italy (Canceled)
- Earth and Arbor Day Festival (Canceled)
- Egg Hunt (Canceled)
- **Environmental, Recycling, and Shredding Event** (Canceled)
- Fit Fest (Postponed)
- <hack> Cupertino (Postponed)
- Holi (Postponed to date certain: May 9, 2020)
- Kid Fit (Postponed)
- Library Film Festival: Hitchcock (Postponed)
- NASA Speaker Series (Postponed)
- Neighborhood Watch Meetings (Canceled)
- Senior Center Travel Trips (Canceled)
- St. Patrick’s Birthday Bash (Canceled)

Online Services

- To report issues in your neighborhood, visit cupertino.org/311
- For Building, Planning, Housing, and Code Enforcement services and permits, visit cupertino.org/communitydevelopment
- For Public Works services and permits, visit cupertino.org/publicworks

City Services that Remain Operational

- City Council and Commission meetings are scheduled as normal with recommended social distancing.
- Waste collection continues as normal.
- [Via-Cupertino](#) continues to operate as normal. Riders are required to follow CDC and County Public Health guidelines, as well as not eat in the vans to ensure cleanliness.

Updates Regarding Other Organizations

- Cupertino Union School District: www.cusdk8.org/
- Fremont Union High School District: www.fuhisd.org/
- De Anza College: <http://www.deanza.edu/healthservices/coronavirus.html>
- Cupertino Library: <https://scclld.org/>

Health Prevention Tips: Practice Good Hygiene

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick. Stay home if you are sick.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially before eating, after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- If you are feeling ill, please contact your healthcare provider.