



CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Tri Delta Transit

Attached is the Spring 2015 edition of Tri Delta Transit's newsletter, which features the Summer Youth Pass, upcoming events, and more.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Assemblymember Jim Frazier's New Brentwood Office

The City of Brentwood has negotiated a lease with Assemblymember Frazier who represents the East Contra Costa cities/communities of Brentwood, Bethel Island, Byron, Discovery Bay, Knightsen, Antioch and a portion of Pittsburg, as well as half of Solano County and a portion of Sacramento County. His new Brentwood office is a one-stop shop for State information and services, located on the second floor of City Hall.

Assemblymember Frazier's office can assist residents with state-related matters such as the DMV, unemployment or disability insurance, professional conduct or licensing complaints, Medi-Cal or Covered California. His office can also provide information regarding consumer protection, the State budget, State agency phone numbers, reports issued by the Legislature and State agencies, copies and information on bills, and State Capitol tours.

Assemblymember Frazier is also interested in your opinion on legislation, or perhaps you have an idea about a new law. Assemblymember Frazier also has an active intern program for older teens and college students; a great opportunity to see government at work!

The Brentwood office is staffed by Senior Field Representative, Erica Rodriguez-Langley and District Director, Jennifer Barton. The mailing address is 150 City Park Way, Brentwood, 94513 and the phone number is (925) 513-0411.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Planning Commission

At the April 7 Planning Commission meeting, the Commission acted on the following items:

- Approved an amendment revising the master sign program for The Streets of Brentwood, specifically to revise the monument, directional kiosk and wall signage

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allowances. The project is located at the northeast corner of Sand Creek Road and State Route 4.

- Adopted a resolution recommending the City Council approve a General Plan amendment (GPA 15-002) to modify the text of the Brentwood Municipal Code, Chapter 17.462 Planned Development 12 Zone, Subarea C, to allow for an emergency homeless shelter as a permitted use on City-owned property located at 9000 Brentwood Boulevard (APN 010-160-034).
- Recommended the City Council approve a General Plan amendment (GPA 14-004) to update the Housing Element and request staff to forward the document to the State Department of Housing and Community Development for certification.

PARKS AND RECREATION

Spring Movie in the Park

Next Friday, April 17, the City of Brentwood will present its first Movie in the Park for 2015. The movie will be “A League of Their Own,” and will be shown beginning at 6:45 p.m. in City Park, located at 710 Second Street. Bring your lawn chair, a picnic dinner, a blanket and enjoy this Movie in the Park!



PUBLIC WORKS

Neighborhood Cleanup Events – Online Registration

Brentwood residents with an active garbage collection account are invited to participate in the City's Neighborhood Cleanup Events. Residents can bring up to two (2) yards of unwanted household items including yard waste, appliances, e-waste (such as TVs and computers), furniture and garbage, all free-of-charge, to the City's Solid Waste Transfer Station. The spring event will be held in May and the fall event in September/October. This year, the City will be transitioning from mailed invitations to an online registration process to provide more flexible scheduling of dates and times for residents. More information will be sent in the mail and will be available on the City's website at <http://www.brentwoodca.gov/cleanup>, 3-4 weeks in advance of the events, or you can call the Solid Waste Division at (925) 516-6090.

City Photovoltaic (Solar) System Project Update

SolarCity is completing installation of the solar panels at the Aquatic Center Complex, the first of three City locations to have solar panels installed. These solar panels will be in service upon completion of PG&E’s inspection in the coming weeks. The contractor will then begin installing solar panels at the Police Station while working on the solar panel design for the third and final site at the Wastewater Treatment Plant. The following pictures show the progress of work at the Aquatic Center Complex.



Water Softener Removal/Replacement Financial Incentive Program

The City implemented this Program in March and, to date, has approved 365 applications, of which 126 water softeners were removed and delivered to the City for disposal. This Program will continue until there are enough water softeners removed to comply with the chloride limits in the City’s discharge permit. For more Program information or to download the [application](#), visit the City’s website, www.brentwoodca.gov/wsprogram, email Operations@brentwoodca.gov, or call Public Works/Operations at (925) 516-6000.

Water Conservation

- **City Supports the Wyland National Mayor’s Challenge for Water Conservation**

The City of Brentwood has signed up to participate in the Wyland Foundation National Mayor’s Challenge for Water Conservation. Residents simply go online to www.mywaterpledge.com from April 1-30, 2015, enter Brentwood, and then make online pledges to conserve water, save energy and reduce pollution. Cities compete in various population categories, with Brentwood in the category of 30,000-99,999 residents. The city with the highest percentage of residents who take the challenge in their population category wins.

Residents of the winning cities are eligible to win thousands of prizes - such as a Toyota Prius, home irrigation kits, home improvement gift cards, and more. Most importantly, participants will see real results based on simple actions they can do to save water and energy.

To pledge to reduce water usage, go online to www.mywaterpledge.com and enter Brentwood.





CITY MANAGER WEEKLY UPDATE

For Week Ending April 10, 2015

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- **What should I do if I see water being wasted?**

If you see excessive water use or water being wasted, you may report it to the City in one of the following ways: 1) submit the information in [Report A Problem](#) through the City’s website (www.brentwoodca.gov - Quick Links > Online Services, or Quick Links > Drought Information); 2) via the free Smartphone *Report it!* app; or 3) call Public Works/Operations at (925) 516-6000.

The City primarily uses public education and outreach to address water waste complaints and is generally successful resolving issues with a friendly reminder asking for correction.

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TRI DELTA TRANSIT NEWSLETTER SPRING 2015



WIN FREE RIDES FOR A YEAR

Enter to win the best prize we've ever offered! Just sign up for email/text alerts and you'll be entered to win. Plus, you'll get helpful information to make using transit more reliable. Your email address/cell number will never be shared with any 3rd parties and you will only receive information that you request.

Sign up and enter the contest today!
Go to www.TriDeltaTransit.com/Mobile
Click on "Sign Up For Alerts"

NEWSLETTER MAILING LIST

If you need to update mailing information or know someone interested in receiving our quarterly newsletter, please call 925-754-6622 or email comments@eccta.org with a name, mailing address and request to be added to our newsletter mailing list.

GO MORE PLACES. DO MORE STUFF.
HAVE MORE FUN!



SUMMER YOUTH PASS: JUNE 1 - AUG 31, 2015

The Summer Youth Pass provides three full months of unlimited rides on **Tri Delta Transit AND WestCAT** fixed route buses for youth 17 & Under at a cost of only \$50.* The Summer Youth Pass is valid from June 1 - August 31, 2015.

*Actual pass price \$60. \$50 price reflects a \$10 supplement per pass provided by 511 Contra Costa. Summer Youth Passes are not valid on Dial-a-Ride or WestCAT Transbay service.

511 Contra Costa is providing 225 free Summer Youth Passes to be distributed at the 2015 Youth Summit on Saturday, May 9, 2015.

The Youth Summit unites sixth through twelfth grade youth with local dignitaries, mentors and community leaders for an incredible day complete with exploration, education, and entertainment.

Registration for the 2015 Youth Summit opened on March 30th. For details on how the free Summer Youth Passes will be distributed at the Youth Summit, more information, or to register, go online to:
<https://ca-contracostacounty2.civicplus.com/2839/Youth-Summit-2015>.



UPCOMING EVENTS

April 6 - May 3

Try Transit Challenge

Register for Tri Delta Transit's Try Transit Challenge to try transit free for once a week from April 6 - May 3, 2015.

April 22

Tri Delta Transit Board of Directors Meeting - 4pm,
Tri Delta Transit,
801 Wilbur Avenue, Antioch

May 6

National Bike to School Day

May 14

National Bike to Work Day

Tri Delta Transit will host an Energizer Station from 6-10am on May 14th by the Delta DeAnza Trail near Somersville and Buchanan in Antioch.

May 25

Memorial Day-Sunday/Holiday Bus Schedule.

Only Routes 392, 393, 394 & 395 operate. Limited Dial-a-Ride service.

May 27

Tri Delta Transit Board of Directors Meeting - 4pm,
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May 28 - 31

Contra Costa County Fair

Take weekday Routes 380 or 387 and weekend Routes 392 or 394 to the Fair. Receive \$3 discount off Fair admission with proof of ridership.

June 1-August 31

Summer Youth Pass

The least expensive way for youth 17 & Under to ride the bus all Summer! Valid on Tri Delta Transit and WestCAT fixed route buses.



TRY TRANSIT CHALLENGE: APRIL 6 - MAY 3, 2015

Try transit once a week for free by taking the Tri Delta Transit Challenge. Plus, you could win \$100!

From April 6 - May 3, 2015 Tri Delta Transit and 511 Contra Costa will provide four free 24-Hour bus passes to commuters who do not currently use Tri Delta Transit to get to work. The free bus passes will cover four round-trip rides during the challenge. Participants in the Try Transit Once a Week Program will be automatically entered into a drawing for a chance to win \$100.

To register for the Try Transit Challenge, visit www.trideltatransit.com/challenge2015. Participants must be 18 years of age or older. Limit one participant per household. Only the first 500 qualified applicants will receive four free 24-Hour bus passes. The bus passes are not valid on Dial-a-Ride.

NATIONAL BIKE MONTH

Bike to School Day

National Bike to School Day is Wednesday, May 6th, 2015.

As a lead-up to the big day, Street Smarts Diablo is teaming up with select middle schools in Contra Costa for a series of individual Bike & Roll to School events. Middle school students will be accepting the challenge to get to school on wheels by riding their bikes, skateboards and scooters!

As part of the Bike & Roll to School celebrations, Street Smarts Diablo will have some free helmets to provide to students who arrive to school with wheels and need a properly fitting helmet. Parents are welcome to bring students' bikes to school by car, so that any child can get to school and roll home safely.

For a list of schools participating in the 2015 Bike & Roll challenge, visit <http://511contracosta.org/street-smarts-diablo-bike-roll-school-events-march-31-6>.

Bike to Work Day

National Bike to Work Day is Thursday, May 14th, 2015. There will be over 200 Energizer Stations throughout the SF Bay Area where cyclists can stop for refreshments and promotional items.

Tri Delta Transit will host an Energizer Station from 6-10am on May 14th by the Delta DeAnza Trail near Somersville and Buchanan in Antioch. Be sure to stop by our Energizer Station to pick up some goodies on your commute to work!

