



# Council Briefing

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July 2009

## Administrative Services

- Fiscal Services:
  - Police alarm permits issued in June totaled 55, bringing the fiscal year-to-date total to 484. Total number of active permits as of June 30 was 4,942.
  - Invoices billed in June totaled 521, with a valuation of \$654,124. Invoices for the fiscal year-to-date total 8,987, with a valuation of \$21,671,070.
  - General checks and direct deposits in June totaled 710 and 8,095, respectively, with a valuation of \$9,034,117. The number of general checks and direct deposits for the fiscal year-to-date total 8,095 and 3,172, respectively, with a valuation of \$78,454,999.
- Information Technology:
  - Staff installed an updated version of Pictometry software. Pictometry is one of the leading providers of geo-referenced (land and property data) aerial software. As a leading provider of the software to E911 and emergency response professionals, Pictometry's images and technology are used by GIS, planning, and many other applications. Community Development and GIS are the City's major users. Training on the new software was done throughout the City.
  - Staff is involved in the planning stages of the OCTA Train Depot Camera project. Cameras will be installed at the station to ensure better security for passengers.
- Purchasing: In June, the Division: processed approximately 196 requisitions; created 96 purchase orders; and saved \$1,670 through early payment discounts. Central Services made 111,178 copies and processed 19,171 pieces of mail.
- Revenue:

- In June, 166 new business registration certificates were issued. Of that total, 110 were for businesses in Fullerton and 56 were for businesses located out of the city, but conducting business here. Business tax collected totaled \$11,935.
  - A total of 197 businesses closed in June: 78 located in the city and 119 located out of the city.
  - Business certificates renewed in June numbered 656, which totaled \$88,096 in business taxes collected.
- **Utility Services:** In June, the Division answered 2,884 calls and processed 3,993 cash register transactions totaling \$10,482,080. Of those transactions, 1,209 were credit cards, 1,175 checks, 693 by cash, and 195 direct deposits.
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## Community Development

- **Planning Division:**
  - In June, five project applications were submitted, including one minor site plan, two conditional use permits, one appeal, and one modification to a previously approved project.
  - Also in June, 11 applications were acted upon by the final hearing body, including three minor site plans, one minor development project, one major site plan, three conditional use permits, one variance, one modification to a previously approved project, and one other.
- **Community Preservation:** In June, staff: received 226 complaints (2,833 year-to-date); resolved 253 complaints (2,469); had 527 active cases (new category; no comparable data); conducted 695 inspections (7,714); issued 37 courtesy notices (499), 136 first notices of violation (1,636), and 66 citations (553); sent 16 compliance letters (100); granted 29 extensions (74); arranged for the pick up of 18 large items, such as sofas (179); received 18 graffiti complaints (252); received 67 Hotline calls (787); and billed \$4,650 in revenue (\$65,090).
- **Building Division:**
  - Inspection stops in June totaled 835 (down 46.3 percent from June 2008) and resulted in 1,205 inspections. The average daily inspection load was 60, and the average daily work load was 14 inspections per inspector. Additionally, inspectors responded to 11 complaints and completed 66 ancillary plan checks.
  - In June, 196 plans (including 31 ancillary plans) were submitted for plan check. Of that total, 88 plans were checked same day, at the counter. There were a

total of 1,458 visitors (a decrease of 16 percent from June 2008) to the permit counter, and 456 permits and plan checks were issued (a decrease of 48 percent from June 2008), with a total valuation of \$2,023,800.

- July 1 was the starting date for the “Green Building Initiative” (fee waivers). This program will end June 30, 2010.
- In a continued effort to increase public outreach, Plan Check Engineer Chi Yang staffed an information booth at a recent Thursday Market. On June 27, Building Official Hadi Tabatabaee-Pour and Permit Technician Andrea Thompson staffed an information booth at the Fullerton Business Expo jointly sponsored by the City of Fullerton and the Chamber of Commerce.
- Staff completed the first plan check (50 percent plan completion) for expansion of the Main Library.
- The City’s first “green building” – LEED Silver, 1016 N. Harbor Blvd. – completed its office remodel and received final inspection approval.
- Demolition of all buildings has been completed in Phase II of the Jefferson Commons project, 555 W. Commonwealth Ave.
- Construction is 75 percent completed on the new parking structure at St. Jude Medical Center Complex, 2143 N. Harbor Blvd. Construction is 70 percent complete on Phase II of the St. Jude Medical Office Building at 2141 N. Harbor.
- Framing construction of the Jacaranda Senior Apartment complex is 20 percent complete.
- A grading permit was issued for the food court project at 133 W. Chapman Ave.
- The interior remodel for the new Kohl’s, 3204 Yorba Linda Blvd., is in progress.
- Grading for Phase I of the Home Depot project, 601 N. Placentia Ave., is 90 percent complete. Construction is in progress on the retaining wall on the north property line.
- Construction is 80 percent complete for the new Imperial Spa, 1885 N. Euclid St.

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## Engineering

- Project Development and Design:

- A \$433,606 construction contract was awarded June 16 to All American Asphalt Commonwealth Avenue Reconstruction Project, from Magnolia to Vermont

avenues. The work will include reconstruction of pavement, access ramps, sidewalk, curb and gutter; installation of traffic loops; traffic signal interconnect; traffic restriping; and adjusting manholes and water valves to grade. Construction is estimated to begin in September.

- A \$521,870 construction contract was awarded to Garcia Juarez Construction June 16 for the Carhart Avenue Storm Drain – Brea Creek Channel to Pico Street. The work will include pavement reconstruction, storm drain installation, manhole and catch basin construction. The project is slated to begin in August.
  - A \$1,026,155 construction contract was awarded to Imperial Paving Company for the Orangethorpe Avenue Reconstruction Project, from Eadington to Basque avenues and from Euclid Street to Citrus Avenue. The work, which is expected to begin in August, will include reconstruction of pavement, access ramps, sidewalk, curb and gutter; installation of traffic loops; traffic signal interconnect; traffic restriping; and adjustment of manholes and water valves to grade.
  - **Construction Management:**
    - Contractor Insituform Technologies Inc., has completed all 8-inch sewer lining installations in various locations citywide. Storm drain lining installation is nearly finished, with approximately 10 percent remaining. Project completion is expected by the end of this month.
    - The Woods Avenue Sewer Replacement Project (Malvern Avenue to Valley View Drive) is complete.
  - **Water Engineering:** Aqua Controls, Inc., has completed installation of remote telemetry units on the Water System Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Upgrade, and is approaching the end of its 30-day site acceptance test. Approximately 20 hours of training for City water production operators will follow site testing. The project is expected to be complete at the end of this month.
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## Fire

- **Statistics:** In June, the Department responded on 762 requests for service, which was less than the 830 requests received in June 2008. Of the 762 requests, 28 were for fires, 619 were medical aids, 48 were service calls, and four were hazardous materials incidents. Also in June, the Department provided 83 automatic aid calls, and received 53. Of 619 medical aid calls, 409 were Advanced Life Support cases and 210 were Basic Life Support.
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## Human Resources

- **Harassment, Discrimination and Retaliation Prevention Training:** Staff recently concluded training for Fire Suppression personnel.
  - **Employee Processing:** In June, staff processed 14 nonregular new employees, one regular and two nonregular promotions, and four regular separations.
  - **Liability Program:** Five new claims were filed, 16 claims were closed, and no lawsuits were served in June.
  - **Workers' Compensation Program:** In June, the City received 12 new claims and 11 claims were closed. No new lawsuits were filed.
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## Library

- **Busy Place:** Statistics showed a marked increase in activity at the end of this fiscal year when compared to last year. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the Library circulated 974,707 items to patrons. This is a 6 percent increase over the previous year. The Library was visited by 611,008 patrons during this same period, which is an 11 percent increase over the previous year. Staff issued a total of 10,025 new library cards this past fiscal year.
- **Summer Programs:** The Summer Reading Programs are off to a strong start! By June 30, staff had registered 1,878 children at the Main Library and 556 children at the Hunt Branch. Staff has also registered 185 teens at the Main Library and 85 at the Hunt Branch.
- **Afternoon Live:** Tuesday afternoon at the Main Library means it is time for "Afternoon Live," and that means crowds of excited elementary school-age children converging on the Osborne Auditorium. Attendance the first three weeks in the Main Library was almost 900, with average weekly attendance of just under 300 per week.
- **Reaching out to Businesses:** On June 27 Librarians represented the Fullerton Public Library at the Chamber of Commerce's Business Expo at Cal State Fullerton. The Expo allowed the staff to promote the Library's free business databases, the grant-funded program "One City, One Source," and register the business community for library cards.
- **Movie Time!:** The "Family Movie and Game Night" returned to the Hunt Branch Library for its second summer of family fun. Attendance has been steady, with an average of 65 persons who enjoyed the family friendly movie "Guitar Hero" and board games such as "Twilight" and "Charades for Kids." After the Independence Day holiday, families can see the movie "Madagascar 2" from 6-8 p.m. July 10.

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## Maintenance Services

- Administration:
  - Maintaining a tradition begun after 9/11, approximately 250 U.S. flags were installed on street light poles in the downtown and along Harbor Boulevard. The flags will be displayed until the week after Veterans' Day. The contract for installation includes two trips by the contractor to repair torn or tangled flags. The first repair trip should be in mid-July.
  - The analysis team is nearly finished with a performance audit of the City's Housing and Community Rehabilitation Program, and has begun a state-required audit of the Sewer Program.
  - An independent contractor recently completed an audit of the City's phone bills and other charges. He found the City manages its billings quite well, and was able to identify about \$19,000 in potential savings. Considering his contract was \$3,900, this was an excellent return on investment. The Department's Administration staff is also working with the phone company and the consultant to upgrade the software that runs the City's phone system. The upgrade will extend the useful life of the system and reduce annual maintenance costs. Staff should complete the software upgrade within the next several weeks.
  - The Department received 1,544 service requests, completing 1,212 (78.5 percent). Of the 11 emergency requests, nine were completed within one day. The Building and Facilities Division received the most requests – 914, or 59.2 percent of the total.
  - In June, the Department's support staff received 1,864 calls, an average of 93 per workday, or 47 for each of our two primary customer service personnel.
- Facilities:
  - In June, Graffiti Crews removed 61,580 square feet of graffiti from 550 sites, bringing the year-to-date totals to 675,310 square feet removed from 5,365 sites.
  - Staff completed 39 custodial inspections of city facilities.
  - The City Hall Elevator Renovation is almost complete. Once the elevators are completed, the flooring will be installed.
  - The Division is working with the Parks and Recreation and Engineering departments and the FAST Team to schedule the large and small pools at

Independence Park to be re-plastered and the drains upgraded to meet the Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act.

- **Sewer Division:** In June, the Division: handled one public sewer overflow; hydrojetted 27.69 miles of sewer mains; root cut/mechanically treated 1,099 linear feet of main; mechanically treated 204 sewer laterals; conducted CCTV inspections of 16 laterals; conducted 41 source control inspections; conducted CCTV inspections of 29,168 linear feet of main; approved five Lifeline and three Large lot applications; and received 12 sewer fee calls and 40 sewer service requests.
- **Equipment Division:** In June, the Division performed one motorcycle inspection, five general preventive maintenance inspections, three safety inspection, four Bi-annual Inspection Terminal for large trucks and trailers, 82 preventive maintenance tests, three smoke tests (state-mandated test to check emissions to ensure they meet current requirements), one aerial (ladder) inspection, and seven smog inspections.
- **Landscape Division**
  - In June, West Coast Arborists, the City's contract tree-trimming companies, pruned 14,955 trees, removed 598, and planted 511 trees.
  - West Coast Arborists exceeded divisional goals and were able to complete all zones projected for pruning during the fiscal 2008-09.
  - The Division received 58 tree-related and 65 landscape-related service requests in June.
  - Red Imported Fire Ants were reported at four locations in June, and crews responded on 32 reports of bee activity in June.
  - Orange County Probation Crews performed weed abatement on the slopes adjacent to the 57 freeway on Bastanchury Road.
  - Crews completed the following projects in June included:
    - A new Cal Sense Controller installed at Gilbert Park.
    - New plant material and irrigation system installed at Vista Park.
    - Wood chips were spread at Cooke Trail in response to a citizen request.
    - Service entrance repaved at Terrazza Reservoir.
    - Fabricated and installed fire pit covers for Parks and Recreation.
    - Completed the preliminary phase of the drought-tolerant demonstration garden at City Hall.
    - Small dog area at Pooch Park was hydro seeded for renovation.
    - 50 cubic yards of soil were delivered and spread on Juanita Cooke and Nora Kuttner Trails.

- 1,000 feet of electrical conduit was installed in order to consolidate Cal Sense irrigation controllers at Hillcrest Park.

- Water Division

- In June, the Division produced 879,945,320 gallons of water. Of that amount, 65.71 percent - or 578,247,000 gallons - were pumped from wells, and 34.29 percent - 301,698,320 gallons - were purchased from the MWD.
- Following is the list of water main line breaks that occurred in June:

SIZE	LOCATION	PIPE TYPE	POSSIBLE CAUSE	YEAR INSTALLED
8"	1308 Frances	PVC	Sewer Construction	1980s
8"	1312 Frances	PVC	Sewer Construction	1980s
8"	1321 Frances	PVC	Sewer Construction	1980s
8"	404 Cannon	PVC	Sewer Construction	1980s
10"	4300 N Harbor Blvd	Cast Iron	Unknown	Unknown

- Street Division: In June, Division staff: used 76 tons of asphalt for patching and 30 tons for Water Division digouts; applied 4,200 pounds of crack sealer; made 430 sidewalk repairs; milled 472 linear feet of gutter; ground 883 sidewalks; maintained, cleaned and fabricated 794 signs; cleaned 380 drains, 382,051 linear feet of sidewalk, and three roadway spills; swept 3,215 curb miles; and applied 135 gallons of street paint

## Parks and Recreation

- Capital Improvements:

- The Lions Field renovation is under construction. Various phases such as demolition, grading, and excavation are in progress. Construction administration staff, in conjunction with City staff, will continue to oversee the project.
- Construction is set to begin next month on the Richman Park Field Lighting and Site Improvement Project. Completion is expected in November.
- In response to the concerns of neighbors of Gilman Park, staff completed a review of hydrology and geo-technical data regarding the proposed tot lot. Based on the conclusions drawn from this data, the Parks and Recreation Commission is recommending postponing construction of the tot lot, but continuing with a master plan of the entire park that will thoroughly address all concerns and issues. The master plan start date is still being determined.

- Trail improvement conceptual plans addressing access, safety, staging areas, drainage and landscape for Hiltcher Trail have been completed. Community meetings were conducted to get input for the proposed improvements. The Parks and Recreation Commission recommended approval of the concept plan to the City Council at the Commission's June 8 meeting. Engineering and the Parks and Recreation departments now move into the construction documents phase. Staff continues to consult the City Attorney on encroachment issues related to the neighbors immediately to the north and south side of the trail. Neighbors to the north filed a lawsuit against the City for inverse condemnation.
- Improvements such as irrigation, landscaping and signs are under way on the Brea Dam Facility Renovation Project. Design for the storm drain improvement between the two buildings has also been completed, and a contractor has been chosen to begin construction.
- Construction plans have been approved for the Tennis Center renovation. Engineering and the Parks and Recreation departments are reviewing minor revisions and changes to the plans. The plans are estimated to go out to bid in the next four months.
- Staff is proposing improvements to the northwest side of Laguna Lake using County grant funds. Anticipated improvements will include renovation of the old restroom adjacent to Lakeview Drive, seating/picnicking areas, a small gathering area for outdoor classes, trees, drinking fountain, and an upgraded lake aeration system to improve water quality. The Parks and Recreation, Engineering, and Maintenance Services departments are coordinating on these improvements.
- Staff is proposing that county grant funds be used for improvements at Independence Park. The improvements include hardscape renovation at the entry, landscaping, pool perimeter fencing, and signage. The Parks and Recreation and Engineering departments are preparing plans and seeking bids for these improvements.
- Staff will propose improvements to the Hillcrest Recreation Center and the "Red Cross Building" using county grant funds for improved ADA access to the existing restrooms and adjacent spaces.
- Staff and the Hillcrest Park Ad Hoc Design Committee continue to meet on the Hillcrest Master Plan Project. Staff is coordinating the procurement process for a landscape architecture/planning firm to develop the proposed park master plan.
- Senior Multi-Service Center:
  - The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Senior Resource Fair was held June 6, with 43 vendors and non-profit agencies represented. Approximately 190 people participated in the event, which included a fundraising raffle of a gourmet basket donated by the Senior

Club and door prizes donated by community businesses. Refreshments and live entertainment rounded out the fair. Staff received several compliments from guests and vendors on the fun and productive event.

- The Center hosted a four-week Braille class in June for 12 students - a “perfect” attendance size, according to the instructor, who focuses on a hands-on approach to her training program.
- “Looking at Russia” was the theme of June’s cultural reception. The event included sampling of Russian food and music, plus a video and educational programs. Approximately 85 seniors attended.
- On June 15, 10 students began participating in a 12-week fall prevention program called “InSTEP” (Increasing Stability through Evaluation and Practice). The program is a comprehensive and highly personalized training program which includes health- and home-risk evaluations and follow-up, small group discussions and a video-based class and home exercise component. InSTEP is made possible by a grant from the Archstone Foundation and support from the Fall Prevention Center of Excellence.

- Garnet Community Center:

- On May 30 the Center hosted a Community Health Fair in collaboration with the GEMS Community Planning Committee. The Committee is made up of local residents, churches and Police Department personnel. A total of 25 service providers offered health information and screenings to the 600 people who attended. Activities also included family and kid crafts, skate board demos, and a mini-soccer tournament.
- The GEMS Summer Recreation Program started June 15, with 75 registered participants. A typical day’s activities include crafts and games. Due to the lack of outdoor space, Topaz Elementary School’s playground is used a few times a week for outdoor games and sports activities.
- Teens from the Garnet and Gilbert centers participated in a workshop on “Teen Dating and Violence.” The workshop focused on signs, dangers and precautions regarding teen dating violence. The presenter was Guadalupe Cerda, community educator with WTLC. She grew up in the Richman community and was an active participant in the Center’s teen program.

- Gilbert Community Center:

- The Gilbert Summer Recreation Program started June 15, with 120 participants. Some Gilbert area families and teens are taking an active role in the summer program by giving of their time to assist with activities. A busy schedule is

planned, and will include games, sports, crafts, and trips to the Orange County Fair and Corona del Mar beach.

- The 10-week youth development/gang prevention pilot program concluded with an ice cream social. The pilot program is a partnership with the Police Department to assist youth in developing the knowledge, skills, behaviors and values necessary for healthy growth and successful adulthood. Thirty students, ages 8-12 completed the program.
- On June 27 the Center hosted its first Community Health Fair. The event brought together 20 service providers who offered health information and screening to the approximately 200 residents who attended. The Police Department and the Community Preservation Division of the Community Development Department were on hand to answer questions and provide information. The day's activities also included crafts and games for the kids. The event was sponsored, in part, by a generous donation from Melissa's World Variety Produce, Inc.
- Richman Community Center:
  - The PACE (Parent and Child Education) Program has concluded its 2008-09 school year. The program, which operates Monday-Thursday mornings throughout the school year, is offered in collaboration with the Fullerton School District Early Childhood Center and the North Orange County Community College District. City staff organizes and implements infant/toddler enrichment activities, and families receive free child care for their infants, pre-school enrichment for their 3-5 year olds, and English Language Development classes.
  - The summer "Teen Scene" program has been busier than usual, with many new participants. Average daily attendance is 30-40 teens. The program offers many recreational opportunities for teens to get active or "just hang out" with friends in a safe, supervised environment.
  - The St. Jude Neighborhood Health Clinic staff has trained city staff to provide the "Healthy Lifestyles" nutrition program to kids in the Summer Playgrounds Program. Children had an overview of the food pyramid, did some healthy food tasting, and planned their own menu using healthy alternatives.
  - The Girl Scouts Council of Orange County is providing a four-week program in conjunction with the Summer Playgrounds program. Approximately 20 girls have been participating in crafts and character building activities.
- Tiny Tots: A total of 47 preschoolers attend the program at Independence Park. Summer activities include picnics, art projects, educational programs, and "un-birthday" parties.

- Independence Park:
  - Eddie “Lil Rock” Baraggan concluded his last break dancing class at Independence Park June 24. This program was very popular, with more than 35 kids registered and 20 attending on a regular basis. Staff has moved the activity to the Richman Community Center, where other teen activities are held.
  - A small group of Raytheon employees has been keeping up with weekly basketball workouts from noon to 1 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. Senior volleyball also continues to provide health and wellness for a consistent group from the Senior Center from noon-1:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.
  - Racquetball is a favorite after-work stress reliever for annual pass holders. Currently, there are 25 annual and 21 reservation card holders.
- After-School Programs: The Orangethorpe and Maple After-School programs ended the 2008-09 school year June 11. The programs served up to 250 children daily, providing snacks, homework assistance, educational enrichment, and outdoor recreational activities.
- Summer Playgrounds: The free eight-week Summer Playground Program began June 15 and continues through Aug. 7. The Program operates at Chapman Recreation Center, Maple Community Center, Orangethorpe Recreation Center and Richman Community Center; and includes a variety of organized activities such as arts and crafts, recreational enrichment projects, excursions, and special events.
- Camp Hillcrest: “Camp Hillcrest” Summer Day Camp also started June 15, and served approximately 65 children in June. Children participate in a variety of activities, including specialized arts, crafts, and enrichment projects, outdoor activities, and excursions to local theme parks.
- Tennis Center:
  - June’s great weather was good news, with nearly 6,000 players. In the last three weeks, the Center hosted the Rosary and Servite high schools summer camps, which drew 46 players. The summer Juniors Program has also started, and more than 150 players have participated in the weekly summer. They range in age from 4 to ranked tournament players.
  - The Beckman-Coulter league, an after-work tennis league sponsored by Beckman- Coulter, ended its year with the Center the last week of June.
  - The Center was also hosted eight U.S. Tennis Association matches in June.
- Youth Sports:

- The spring season is coming to an end. Several teams have had a successful season and are preparing for all-star games, summer tournaments and camps. Some of the upcoming events include:
  - Rangers Summer Classic Tournament in July at various fields
  - Rangers Academy Youth Soccer Camp in July
  - Paul Abbott Baseball Camp scheduled in July and August
  - District 56 Tournament through July 14 at the Fullerton Sports Complex
  
- The fall/winter season is just around the corner, and registration for Fullerton Rangers, Fullerton Pop Warner Football and Winter Ball are under way. Field requests have been submitted and leagues will receive their practice permits at the end of this month.
  
- “Get Outdoors:”
  - With summer comes the start of many of “Get Outdoors” signature events. From family campfires and campouts to the kids’ summer fishing club, the Department offers reasonably priced programs residents can enjoy close to home.
  - Once again, the Kids Fishing Club has become one of the key programs of the summer, as participants enjoy six sessions of fishing, games and fun at Laguna Lake. The fishing club is designed to provide parents with the opportunity to drop their kids off for a few hours every week to fish with supervision.
  - The first family campout at Brea Dam Park was a great success, with 12 families enjoying their first campout. Activities ranged from playing “Steal the Bacon” to “Campfire Bingo.” As always, participants enjoyed s’mores on a modified campfire of charcoal. Staff cooked dinner and breakfast. “Get Outdoors” will be offering its first Family Fishing Campout at Laguna Lake this month.
  
- Cultural and Events:
  - In June, the Museum finished its school programming with the last “Project Safe” art classes for the 2008-09 academic year. Thirty students from Fullerton Union High School’s Opportunities class participated in a self portrait class. Finished projects will be on display at La Sierra High School’s new library building this fall.
  - With the end of school and the beginning of summer vacation, the Museum has a full slate of programs for all ages. The Museum’s newest program, The Idea Place, an open art studio for teens, started the week of June 29. Participants are working on portraiture, resin casting, bottle cap jewelry, fused glass, and painting in a highly individualized setting. So far it’s been very rewarding and staff is receiving good feedback from the parents of the participants.

- The Market gets busier each week, with crowds the last two weeks larger than ever before. The Library's Bookmobile will be at the Market through July 30. Also, the Orange County Flyers came in June for the first of three appearances at the Market, and distributed 300 free game tickets to the community.
  - The Summer Concert series begins July 15 at the Fullerton Sports Complex.
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## Police

- Patrol:

- On June 5 there was a bomb threat at Sunny Hills High School. A janitor found two notes posted at the school early in the morning, indicating a bomb was on campus. The campus was closed off before students arrived for class. Police Officers accompanied school administrators on a search of the campus and no explosive devices or suspicious items were found. The campus was opened to students and staff.
- Officer Jon Miller stopped a car at Yorba Linda and Bradford avenues. The driver was under the influence of narcotics and was arrested, as was a female passenger who possessed an illegal knife. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed eight grams of methamphetamine and brass knuckles. Officer Robert Barnes was the assisting Officer. Great job by both Officers.
- Cpl. John Ema, Officer Luis Garcia and Reserve Officer Michael Maccubbin responded to Nicolas Junior High on a report of juveniles spray painting buildings. Two juveniles were detained and it was determined they had broken into a classroom to steal graffiti implements. Great response and investigation.
- On June 13 there was a small rally of Cal State Fullerton Titan fans at the intersection of Harbor Boulevard and Commonwealth Avenue in support for the Titan baseball team which was in Nebraska for the College World Series. Approximately 50-60 people participated and no issues arose from the gathering.
- Officer Bryan Bybee stopped a Honda which has a plate registered to a Volkswagen. The driver consented to a search, and the Officer found a Coca Cola can with a false bottom which contained 12 grams of methamphetamine and three grams of cocaine. Excellent arrest by Officer Bybee.
- Officers Robert Barnes, Jim Boline, Jonathan Ferrell, Eric Franke and Pedram Gharah, as well as Detectives Jon Radus and Hugo Garcia responded to a recovery of a stolen truck tractor. Several day laborers were identified as possible suspects and were contacted. During these contacts, two laborers were found to have methamphetamine and cocaine on their persons and were

arrested. Later, these suspects were determined not to be involved with the truck tractor. Good team work and investigation by Officers and Detectives.

- Corporal Adrian Wardle stopped a motorcyclist for not wearing a helmet. The motorcyclist began to flee but pulled over to the side of the road. Officers determined the motorcyclist was on parole, had a suspended license, was wanted on a \$15,000 warrant, and carried a gram of methamphetamine.

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## Redevelopment and Economic Development

- **Fullerton Business Expo:** The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fullerton Business Expo was held June 27 on the CSUF campus. While attendance was down from last year, comments received from both participants and visitors were very positive. The Expo was produced in cooperation with the Fullerton Chamber of Commerce and the Small Business Development Center to provide a variety of informational sessions for individuals seeking tools for business success and survival.
  - **Fox Block Community Planning Workshop:** Seventy people attended the first community planning workshop for the Fox Block held July 1 at Angelo and Vinci's restaurant. The workshop featured an introduction of and presentation by the developer (ARTECO Partners), Fox Foundation Board Members, and Cynthia Peck and staff, and concluded with questions and answers. The meeting lasted nearly three hours and a number of very helpful comments were received.
  - **Transportation Center Specific Plan:** RDA and Community Development staff has been working with JMI/Morgan Group and consultants to prepare the draft form-based FTC Specific Plan and EIR. Community workshops will take place later this summer.
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