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Celebrating 100 Years of Literacy

The Walnut Grove Library's 100th anniversary was celebrated amongst longtime library friends on April 13, 2019.

Resolutions were presented from the offices of elected dignitaries to librarians from across the years. Pictured are Natalie Beaver, Delta Branch Libraries Supervisor; Kathryn Pelham, Walnut Grove Branch Library for 25 years; Patti Garamendi; Alan Candee, Walnut Grove Branch Librarian for 13 years; Jennifer Quallick, District Director for Assemblymember Jim Frazier; and Rebecca Sloan, Chief of Staff to Sacramento County District 5.

The Walnut Grove Library continues to be a gathering place for children and adults of all ages. To learn more about special summer library programs in your area, visit [Sac Library](#) online or call (916)265-2700.

Illegal Fireworks Enforcement

The Sacramento County Sheriff's Dept. will have dedicated patrols issuing illegal fireworks users with fines up to \$1,000 per offense on July 2, 3 and 4. If you see someone in your neighborhood actively lighting illegal fireworks, please call 911. If you see illegal fireworks in your neighborhood, please call 311 to help capture data to inform further enforcement efforts. This pilot program is made possible with funding from the Safe and Sane fireworks industry and Sacramento County to help reduce the risk of fire during the dry fire season.

Disaster Preparedness

Remembering last summer's fire season inspired the Butterfield Riviera East Community Association to dedicate their general membership meeting to disaster preparedness. Invited speakers provided helpful emergency tips from the Sacramento County Department of Public Health and Sheriff's Department as well as the California Highway Patrol.

You too can prepare ahead with helpful tools available on line from the Sacramento County Office of Emergency Services.

The first step in being prepared for emergency evacuation is to be well informed. To subscribe to the local emergency alert system, known as Sacramento Alert, visit www.Sacramento-Alert.org.

Next, be ready with a plan. Talk with your family and neighbors about how to best be ready for natural disasters including wildfires, storm water flooding and California's potential earthquakes.

County services are available to assist residents, but the best immediate action will be the ones you can take with the neighbors on your street to help ensure everyone is safe.

- Have a checklist for you, your family and your pets.
- Identify a meeting place.
- Prepare an [emergency kit](#) with food and water for 3 days.
- Make a contact list with phone numbers for family and friends.
- Don't forget a portable phone charger, cash and change, personal hygiene items and prescriptions.

In attendance at the BRECA general membership meeting were representatives from Sacramento County Sheriff's Department POP Team and the California Highway Patrol East Division, pictured below. For more information to help you prepare your emergency kit, please visit [Sacramento Ready](#).



Neighborhood Traffic Calming

The Sacramento County Department of Transportation (SacDOT) and the California Highway Patrol (CHP) are teaming up to help reduce speeding and increase safety in Sacramento County neighborhoods. The first step in your neighborhood can start with SacDOT, which works with neighbors to reduce speeds and keep neighborhood roads safe. The Neighborhood Traffic Management Program (NTMP) provides tools for speed enforcement including speed bumps/tables, raised crosswalks and coordination with law enforcement. If you are interested in speed bumps/tables, you can obtain an NTMP petition from the DOT Traffic Engineering Office. The neighborhood petition is the first step.

NTMP process:

1. Collect 10 signatures from your neighbors expressing shared concerns.
2. DOT staff will collect data and analyze appropriate speed mitigation for your street.
3. The County Board of Supervisors will consider funding for the improvements.
4. DOT staff will develop the traffic plan in coordination with residents.
5. Traffic calming improvements are implemented each year in the early summer through fall.

For more information, contact District 5 at (916)874-5465[📞] or DOT directly at (916)875-5171[📞].

California Highway Patrol Problem Oriented Policing (CHP POP) Division is also working with the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department to reduce speeding and enhance neighborhood safety. If you are experiencing excessive speed, cars blocking your driveway, or drivers not adhering to stop signs and traffic lights, please call 311. Your calls to 311 help the CHP gather data helpful to enforcement patrols. You can also email the CHP with your concerns. The CHP POP is divided in District 5 into the East Patrol area at 260POP@CHP.CA.GOV and in the South Patrol area traffic concerns can be reported to (916)681-2300 .



Transportation Improvements Underway this Summer & Fall

This summer, you may see road improvements near your home or business. Below are some highlights from the [2019 project list](#) as approved by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors in 2018. More information in coming weeks on additional repaving projects in the [Transportation Improvement Program and Guide](#) (TPIG).

- **Micron Avenue** – overlay paving from Bradshaw Rd. to Mayhew Rd.
- **Florin Road** – overlay repaving from Elk Grove-Florin Rd. to Bradshaw Rd.
- **Rosemont Neighborhoods** – overlay repaving within New Dawn Dr. to Rosemont Dr. and Sutters Gold Dr. to Rosemont area; curb and ramp improvements from Oxwood Dr. to Rose Valley Way and Rosefield Way.
- **Elk Grove-Florin Road** – road widening to four lanes from Elder Creek to Florin Rd.

- **Folsom Boulevard** – repaving from Bradshaw Rd. to Butterfield Rd.
- **Power Inn Road** – sidewalk improvements and bike lanes on both sides of Power Inn Road from Loucreta Dr. to Florin Rd.

Also included is funding for a number of repaving projects on rural and suburban roadways through the District. Please remember to travel safely, reduce speeds in construction zones and help protect the safety of road workers. For more information about projects in District 5, please contact us at (916) 874-5465 [S](#) or DOT directly at (916) 875-5171 [S](#).

County Budget for 2019-2020

On June 11, the Board of Supervisors approved the \$4.4 billion recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Budget. The budget included a 4.2 percent increase over the prior fiscal year, but includes reductions across multiple departments, programs and positions.

Of notable impact on the coming year's budget are investments to Sacramento County jails including \$21.7 million in efforts to resolve a lawsuit around conditions of confinement, decreases in state and federal revenue for certain programs, as well as other obligations.

Departments with the biggest reductions as a percentage of their base budget were Human Assistance; Child, Family & Adult Services; and Probation. The approved budget recognized areas of growth including: Child Support Services, the Probation Department Pre-Trial Assessment & Monitoring Pilot program, Airports and funding for the March 2020 Primary Election.

During budget deliberations, the Board of Supervisors voted to restore funding for several programs including: the Healthy Partners Programs, Animal Care Initiatives focused on improving animal care and community spay/neuter services, and three Sheriff Officer positions for the Homeless Outreach Team. To review the full budget documents, visit Sacramento County's Office of [Budget and Debt Management website](#).