



City Manager Weekly Update

March 22, 2018

UPCOMING MEETINGS

March

3/26 Mayor's State of the City Address, 6:30 PM
Reception; 7 PM
Program, Senior
Community Center

April

4/2 City Council Meeting,
7 PM, City Council
Chambers

4/9 City Council Work
Session, 7 PM, City
Council Chambers

4/16 City Council Meeting,
7 PM, City Council
Chambers

4/23 City Council Joint Work
Session
(City/SLUSD/SLZUSD)
7 PM, Main Library

May

5/7 City Council Meeting,
7 PM, City Council
Chambers

5/14 Town Hall Meeting,
Districts 1, 2 and 5;
7 PM, TBD

To: City Council
From: Jeff Kay, Acting City Manager

Mark Your Calendar

Mayor's State of the City Address (flyer attached)

Monday, March 26, 6:30-8:00 PM, Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14th Street

Mayor Cutter's annual State of the City address is set for Monday, March 26 at the Senior Community Center. The Mayor will highlight progress the City has made on a range of projects and programs, as well as areas of opportunity and challenges for the City. There will be a reception from 6:30 to 7:00 PM with light refreshments preceding the address.

YAC Pizza Night Fundraiser (flyer attached)

Thursday, March 29, 11:30 AM-10:00 PM, Round Table Pizza, 1359 Washington Street

The Youth Advisory Commission (YAC) will be hosting their Spring fundraiser at Round Table Pizza. To ensure that 15% of the proceeds will be donated to the Youth Advisory Commission, please bring in a copy of the flyer, show it on your smartphone or advise the cashier of your support to the cause. This offer is valid for all dine-in, delivery and take-out orders. Proceeds will be used for the YAC's Mini-Grant Program for the benefit of local youth serving organizations.

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Saturday, April 1 & Sunday April 2, Main Library, 300 Estudillo Ave.

Saturday April 1st

9:00AM – 11:00 AM

Members Only Preview Sale

11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Open to the General Public

Sunday April 2nd

12:00 noon – 3:00 PM

Open to the General Public

The Friends of the San Leandro Library are hosting their Spring Two-Day Book Sale. The sale will offer more than 10,000 quality books at bargain prices. Membership in the Friends of the San Leandro Library is available for \$10 for individuals or \$15 for families. You may register or renew your membership at the door on the day of the sale, or applications may be picked up at the Main Library. For more information, please contact the Library at 577-3971.

FREE Shredding & Techno Trash Recycling Event

Saturday, April 7, 9:00 AM-1:00 PM, Public Works Service Center, 14200 Chapman Road

Members of the public who are interested in disposing of unwanted personal documents in a safe and secure manner are encouraged to attend the San Leandro Recycling Program's annual document shredding event. Residents may also drop off CDs, DVDs, floppy disks, jewel cases, audio and video tapes for recycling. The event is free. For more information, please visit [the Solid Waste and Recycling webpage](#) or call (510) 577-6026.

Council Information

San Leandro Awarded \$10,000 National Grant Towards Resiliency Efforts

The National League of Cities (NLC) has named San Leandro as one of seven US cities to receive an award through its 2018 Leadership in Community Resilience program. The other six cities include: Birmingham, AL; Bozeman, MT; Durango, CO; Indianapolis, IN; Kingston, NY; and Nashua, NH. As a result of this highly competitive award, the City will receive \$10,000 in direct financial support as well as technical assistance to develop a new community outreach program focused on climate resilience. San Leandro will use the funding to engage with the public on development of a local Climate Resilience and Adaptation Plan, as well as launch outreach and design review for a wetlands restoration and shoreline resilience project at the Water Pollution Control Plant and adjacent areas along the shoreline. The program will also include a Resilient San Leandro Summit, tentatively scheduled for Fall 2018. Community events will provide an opportunity to recruit local volunteers and to engage with San Leandro's residents with an aim to promote community leadership and participatory decision making in planning, response and recovery activities.

City Launches Residential Broadband Survey Online

As part of San Leandro's Fiber Optics Master Plan, the City is seeking public input regarding residential internet service and is asking residents to complete a 5-10 minute survey. Four randomly selected respondents will receive a \$25 gift card as a thank you for taking the survey. To complete the survey, please visit the following website: [San-Leandro-Residential-Broadband-Survey](#).

Community Survey for Euclid Avenue/Court - One-way Traffic Flow Reversal Proposal (additional information attached)

The installation of a new traffic signal at the intersection of East 14th Street and Euclid Avenue creates an opportunity to reverse the one-way traffic flow on Euclid Avenue and Euclid Court. The proposal will only be implemented if supported by neighborhood residents and those with children attending Washington Elementary School. To gauge support, staff will circulate a survey to gather community input. If support is confirmed by the survey, a community meeting will also be scheduled. The survey will be circulated by mail and available on the [City website](#) until Monday, April 30, 2018.

San Leandro Next

San Leandro Next is an initiative of the City of San Leandro Community Development Department providing news and updates on economic development and innovation. The following stories were posted since last week:

[11th Farmer's Market to Kick Off On March 28 With New Theme – Made in San Leandro](#)

[Calling All Residents: Take the Residential Broadband Survey](#)

[Get Ready for More Utility Box Art!](#)



STATE *of the* CITY

03.26.18 • 6:30^{PM} - 8:00^{PM}
SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER
13909 E.14TH ST. SAN LEANDRO

6:30PM - 7:00PM
RECEPTION

7:00PM - 8:00PM
STATE OF THE CITY
ADDRESS

HONORABLE MAYOR
PAULINE RUSSO CUTTER



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IN PARTNERSHIP:





PIZZA NIGHT FUNDRAISER

**15%
CASH
BACK!**

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Present this flyer when ordering & Round Table Pizza
will donate 15% of your total order to

SAN LEANDRO

YOUTH ADVISORY COMMISSION

THURS 3/29/18

11:30AM - 10:00PM

ALL DINE-IN, DELIVERY & TAKE-OUT ORDERS

Offer excludes alcohol, lunch/dinner combo/buffet or any other promotion, discount or coupon.

1359 WASHINGTON STREET, SAN LEANDRO


510 - 581 - 9994

CITY OF SAN LEANDRO

STAFF REPORT

Date: March 15, 2017

To: Jeff Kay, Interim City Manager

From: Keith R. Cooke, P.E., Director
Engineering and Transportation Department 

By: Michael Stella, P.E., Principal Engineer
Reh-Lin N. Chen, P.E., Senior Transportation Engineer
Engineering and Transportation Department

Subject: Community Survey for Euclid Avenue/Court One-way Traffic Flow Reversal Proposal

SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION

This report is for information only, and no action is required.

The installation of a new traffic signal at the intersection of East 14th Street and Euclid Avenue creates an opportunity to reverse the one-way traffic flow on Euclid Avenue and Court. The traffic flow reversal will only be implemented if supported by neighborhood residents and those with children attending Washington Elementary School. To gauge support, staff will circulate a survey to gather community input. If support is confirmed by the survey, a community meeting will be scheduled. The survey will be circulated by mail and available on the City website until Monday, April 30, 2018.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

The City of San Leandro is evaluating whether the one-way travel direction on Euclid Avenue and Euclid Court should be reversed once a new traffic signal is installed at the Euclid Avenue at East 14th Street intersection. The new traffic signal will be built by AC Transit as part of the East Bay Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) project, and will provide safer pedestrian access to the new BRT curbside bus platforms. Before any decisions about changing Euclid Avenue and Euclid Court's direction of travel are made, staff would like to gather comments from residents, merchants, and Washington Elementary School's officials, staff, and parents of the students.

Euclid Avenue and Euclid Court are connected one-way residential streets that currently allow eastbound to southbound vehicle travel between East 14th Street and Dutton Avenue. Euclid Court also serves as an informal drop-off and pick-up area for children who attend Washington Elementary School located at 250 Dutton Avenue.

As part of the AC Transit Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) project, a new traffic signal will be installed at the East 14th Street and Euclid Avenue intersection. The traffic signal will enhance pedestrian safety for transit riders who cross East 14th Street to access the new curbside platform bus stations, one just south of Euclid Avenue (northbound) and the other opposite Georgia Way (southbound). The signal will also improve vehicle access to Euclid Avenue by providing protected left turn movements from East 14th Street to Euclid Avenue and Cherrywood Avenue.

DKS Associates was retained by the City to analyze the potential benefits and impacts of reversing the existing one-way eastbound to southbound vehicle flow on Euclid Avenue. The reversed flow would allow northbound to westbound travel with direct access to the new traffic signal at East 14th Street. A decision is required on this item in order that traffic signal equipment being installed by the BRT project will be properly oriented to accommodate the resident's preferences.

Reversing the traffic flow on Euclid Court and Euclid Avenue would resolve some of the safety concerns by allowing passengers to disembark along the school's west frontage, reducing the need for students to cross Euclid Court to enter the school. Relocating or removing portions of the school's security fence could provide a more accessible sidewalk along the Euclid Court school frontage thus enhancing safety and access.

Staff believes the traffic flow reversal on Euclid Avenue/Court is a workable solution that will resolve the reported safety and convenience issues by creating a defined drop-off/pick-up area for Washington Elementary School students, and by eliminating the confluence of traffic movements at Euclid Court in the mornings. Implementing this flow reversal will require modifications to AC Transit's traffic signal design, will require outreach to affected residents, and will require consultation with school district officials for subsequent school property improvements.

Based on feedback received at the February 7, 2018, Facilities & Transportation Committee, staff is now initiating a public outreach effort. If support for the effort is confirmed by the survey, the City will conduct neighborhood meetings to obtain feedback for a final design. Implementation of any change will be coordinated with the activation of the new traffic signal.

Hard copies of the attached survey will be mailed to stakeholders within a 500-foot radius of the project site. Additionally, the survey will also be available on City's website. Comments will be gathered until Monday, April 30.

To access the survey, go to: www.sanleandro.org/euclidsurvey

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Euclid Avenue One-Way Traffic Reversal Proposal (March 2018)

