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# A Message From Yasmin Beers



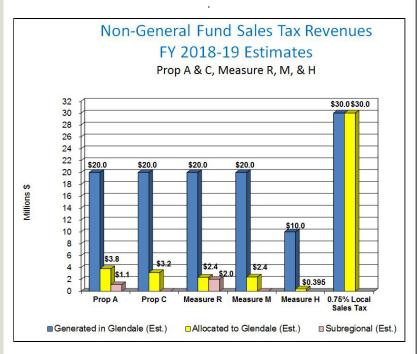
Glendale City Manager

The City of Glendale provides unmatched services to its residents and businesses – from public safety to recreation and parks, libraries, arts and culture, and quality of life programs – to help our community thrive. But by no means are we perfect or without challenges. Honestly, I can't think of a city that isn't dealing with many of the same issues as we are.

One of our challenges is ensuring that revenue generated in Glendale stays local and is used to provide services for the benefit of Glendale residents and businesses. To confront this challenge and ensure that \$30 million in new revenue will only be used locally, the Glendale City Council unanimously placed the 'Glendale Quality of Life and Essential Services Protection Measure' on the November 6th ballot.

Our neighbors to the east and west have arrived at the same conclusion – Pasadena and Burbank placed almost identical measures on their local ballots for November 2018, and voters in other cities have also recently approved similar ballot measures that changed the local sales tax.

# Glendale Quality of Life and Essential Services Protection Measure



#### On November 6, 2018, Glendale neighborhoods will have a choice.

The Glendale Quality of Life and Essential Services Protection Measure will ensure that an estimated \$30 million of new funding generated will be used locally. The County, regional agencies, or special districts won't be able to take this funding in the future.

If this measure does not pass in November, it's likely that any future sales tax adopted by the County, regional agencies, and special districts would be assessed on Glendale, and Glendale would only receive a small portion to improve our local neighborhoods.

This fiscal year, Glendale is expected to send \$90 million to the County in special sales taxes, but only receive \$15 million in return. For example, Glendale is projected to generate \$10 million because of Measure H, which is a 0.25% sales tax increase approved by county voters in 2017 to support homeless services. Glendale is estimated to receive only \$395,000 in Measure H funding for FY 18-19.

If voters do not approve this measure, a sales tax increase of 0.75%, which is expected to raise about \$30 million annually for the City of Glendale, other jurisdictions like the County or a regional agency will be authorized to approve a sales tax, and those funds will not be solely retained in Glendale. Unlike a possible County or regional agency tax, 100% of this \$30 million stays in Glendale.

Other area cities see this challenge and are acting as well. Pasadena has placed the 'Pasadena Infrastructure/Community Essential Services Protection Measure' on the November ballot. Burbank has placed the 'Burbank Infrastructure and Community Services Protection Act' on the ballot.

It is a fact that many cities in our region generate and send millions of dollars in special sales taxes to the County, regional agencies, and special districts, but don't see a commensurate amount in return. This fiscal year, Glendale is expected to send \$90 million to the County in special sales taxes, but only receive \$15 million to use locally.

For example, Glendale is projected to generate \$10 million because of Measure H, which is a 0.25% sales tax increase approved by county voters in 2017 to support homeless services. How much of that do we get in return for FY 18-19 to help those in need here in Glendale? Only \$395,000. By increasing our sales tax to the County cap of 10.25% (from 9.5%) today, the funds generated would stay local and not be diverted by similar County and regional tax measures.

I am not saying that the sky is falling - historically, Glendale is a fiscally conservative City with a balanced budget and strong reserves. However, this measure will ensure that an estimated \$30 million of new funding generated will be used in Glendale for Glendale programs and services. With this amount of additional revenue to the General Fund. your City Council will be wellpositioned to protect funding for investment in deferred infrastructure, affordable housing, public safety, and other essential services.

With all of the cost saving measures our City Council has taken over the past five years, including the elimination of 337 full time positions, reducing spending without significantly impacting service levels is no longer a realistic option.

It is important to understand that if voters approve this local sales tax, our City will have full control over its generated revenues. If it is not adopted, it's likely that future sales taxes adopted by the County, regional agencies, and special districts would be assessed on Glendale, and Glendale will only receive a small portion of that to improve our local neighborhoods.

By increasing the sales taxes to the County cap of 10.25% today, the City would prevent future sales tax increases generating revenue inside the City to be used mostly outside the City.

The current sales tax in Glendale is 9.5%, which is split by the state, the County of Los Angeles, and the City, which receives 1%. Of the County special taxes, a majority is for transportation projects and the remainder is for homeless services.

Today, as Glendale's infrastructure ages and the need for affordable housing continues to grow, reducing spending without significantly impacting service levels is no longer a realistic option.

With the possibility of regional government agencies taxing Glendale to its sales tax maximum of 10.25%, Glendale must consider how it will protect funding for infrastructure, affordable housing, and essential services.

To learn more, visit ThisIsMyGlendale.com

# **TONIGHT: National Night Out**

# National Night Out AUGUST 7, 2018



- Build community partnerships
- Meet members of local government (City Council, Police, Fire)
- · Form a Neighborhood Watch group
  - ... Have fun!

For information, call (818) 548-4015 or visit: GlendaleNNO.com

National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer and more caring places to live. National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community. Please <a href="CLICK HERE">CLICK HERE</a> for a short video about the event.

Millions of neighbors take part in National Night Out across thousands of communities from all fifty states, U.S. territories, and military bases worldwide on the first Tuesday in August. This year, National Night Out will take place on Tuesday, August 7, 2018.

The Community Services & Parks Department is proud to host National Night Out at various parks in our community. Nibley Park will be hosting National Night Out starting at 5:30 p.m., sponsored by the Rossmoyne Neighborhood Association; this event features a movie in the park and local food trucks. Pacific Community Center will also be hosting a National Night Out event starting at 5:00 p.m., featuring the Glendale ROCKS! climbing wall, informational booths by various community organizations and City departments, a DJ, games, free food (while supplies last) and, of course, members of the Glendale Police Department. Events will also take place at Catalina Verdugo Adobe, Windsor Mini Park, and Adams Square Mini Park; please check with your neighborhood association for more information.

Learn more here.

We strive to educate the public and encourage civic involvement, helping the community make informed decisions on how to best utilize their tax dollars and protect funding for infrastructure (streets, sidewalks, etc.), affordable housing, public safety, and other essential services.

We look forward to discussing this measure with you in the coming weeks. Please visit

ThislsMyGlendale.com to learn more about the 'Glendale Quality of Life and Essential Services

Protection Measure' and to stay informed and engaged in this process.

## **Lupn Glendale**



Find free city events, save your favorites, and filter what is relevant to you and your family.

You can download Lupn Glendale in the Apple Store and Google Play.

Share with friends and enjoy!

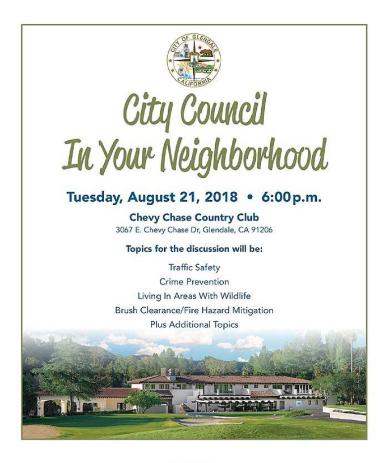
#### **MakerSpace Programs**



Teens can enjoy a variety of tech and art programs at MakerSpace and earn community service hours. Learn more here.

Literacy Classes - Sign up Today!

# **City Council in Your Neighborhood**



#MyGlendale
For more information call (818) 548-4844.

The Glendale City Council will be coming to your neighborhood on August 21st to discuss topics that are important to you. This special meeting of the City Council will focus on traffic safety, crime prevention, living in areas with wildlife, brush clearance/fire hazard mitigation, and more. Learn more <a href="here">here</a>.

# Emergency Preparedness and Communication



The Adult Literacy Program helps adults who want to learn English, as well as English-speaking adults who need to improve their reading and writing skills. Conversation classes and one-on-one tutoring sessions are offered for adults ages eighteen and over. Learn more <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

# Free Citizenship Classes Wednesdays



Where: Library Connection @ Adams Square, 1100 E. Chevy Chase Dr.

**When**: Every Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

What: Learn the English, civics, and history requirements to pass the test and become a United States Citizen! Students must have a green card. This service is cosponsored by the International Rescue Committee. Preregistration required. Classes continue every Wednesday. Learn more here.

## **CALENDAR**

# Through August 10 - Free Meals for Children and Teens

Thanks to a partnership with the Glendale Unified School District, FREE LUNCH will be offered to children and teens under the age of 18. Please note that days and



With heat, holidays, and lots of time spent outside – summer is prime time for emergencies. It is our duty, as the City of Glendale, to provide an efficient and coordinated response to any disaster that could threaten the well-being and health of our residents and visitors. Thankfully, Glendale combines proactive measures with a flexible and effective Emergency Operations Plan to save lives, communicate, and prevent the destruction of property. However, in a major disaster, resources will be spread thin, leading to potential delays in delivering help. Fortunately, there are many ways citizens can equip and educate themselves ahead of time.

For preparedness tips, visit GlendaleCA.gov/EmergencyPreparedness

To learn more about the City's various emergency notification platforms, visit GlendaleCA.gov/EmergencyCommunication

# **West Nile Virus Returns to LA County**

times vary. Learn more here.

#### Through August 21 - Reading Takes you Everywhere Glendale Libraries

Pick up your reading log at any Glendale library. Read or listen to 8 books. Bring your completed log back to a Glendale library to claim a prize book. The annual Summer Reading Program and special summer performances are made possible through a generous grant from the Friends of the Library. Learn more about the special Summer Reading Program family events here.

# Through August 24 - The River Lethe Exhibition

Brand Library & Art Center
1601 West Mountain Street
Brand Library & Art Gallery is
proud to present The River Lethe,
a solo exhibition by Los Angeles
artist Joshua Hagler. In the Atrium
Gallery, Elizabeth Dorbad
presents her global series
Itinerant Architectures, which has
had iterations in Memphis,
Baltimore, San Francisco,
Oakland, Badger, Berlin, Kassel,
New York, and Los Angeles.
Learn more here.

# Through September 11 - Do The Right Thing: Comfort Women Resist

Downtown Central Library Auditorium

222 East Harvard Street

The City of Glendale, Glendale Library, Arts and Culture Department, and Glendale Korean Sister City Association present Do the Right Thing: Comfort Women Resist -- July 28 - Sept 11, 2018. Learn more here.

Mondays in August – Back Alley Painters, 10:30 am – 1:30



Every year late in the spring and early summer, West Nile Virus (WNV) reappears. WNV is spread largely through mosquito contact with humans, but also through diseased birds and other means. While for most people contracting WNV is harmless, it can in some cases cause severe illness or even death. That's why it's important to keep informed about how to protect yourself from WNV.

The Greater Los Angeles County Vector Control District (GLACVCD) tracks confirmed samples and cases of WNV in Los Angeles County, and the first case of the year occurred in Long Beach in mid-June. To protect yourself and help prevent transmission of WNV and other mosquito-borne illnesses, follow these tips:

- Check for and eliminate standing water on your property weekly, and report standing water you see in other locations.
- Avoid outdoor activities at dusk and dawn when mosquitoes are most active.
- Wear long pants and long sleeves when outside as much as possible.
- Use insect repellents with EPA-certified repellents, including DEET, oil
  of lemon eucalyptus, Picaridin, or IR3535.
- Be aware of the potential for other mosquito-borne illnesses when traveling.
- Check all windows and screens in your home to make sure they properly seal.

If you find a significant mosquito breeding place or presence, or have further questions about mosquitoes in L.A. County, WNV, and how to protect yourself, please contact the GLACVCD at 562-944-9656, or visit them online <a href="here">here</a>. You can also learn more about the virus from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) at <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/westnile/">https://www.cdc.gov/westnile/</a>.

## Glendale On the Move

#### pm Montrose Library 2465 Honolulu Avenue

Sign up to join the Back Alley Painters. An adult group of watercolor artists coming together to paint, give each other helpful critiques and have fun. NO INSTRUCTION. Bring your own watercolor supplies. Space is limited. Learn more here.

Wednesdays in August – I Am A Writer, 3:30 pm

Chevy Chase Library
3301 East Chevy Chase Drive
Honest and helpful feedback for

Honest and helpful feedback for your writing. Learn more <u>here</u>.

August 8 - Teen Night Out, 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Maple Park Community Center 820 East Maple Street

Glendale Teen Night Out is designed to provide free teen activities that include billiards, ping pong, karaoke, PS4, and teen coordinated activities. Snacks and refreshments will be served. Learn more here.

August 8 - Summer Concerts in the Park: The Breakfast Club/80's, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Verdugo Park

1621 Canada Boulevard
Bring a picnic dinner, folding chairs or blankets for seating. The Grilled Cheese Truck will be on site. Learn more here.

August 9 – Nova Jacobs: The Last Equation of Isaac Severy: A Novel in Clues, 7:00 p.m. Downtown Central Library

Auditorium

222 East Harvard Street
Debut author Nova Jacobs' novel
is at once a dazzling and
imaginative literary mystery and
an immensely satisfying family
drama. A legendary
mathematician leaves his final
equation to his adopted
granddaughter in a series of
confounding clues concealed
inside her favorite novel. Learn
more here.



GTV6's newest episode of <u>On The Move</u> is now available! Be sure to tune in to Charter channel 6 or check the City's YouTube channel for new episodes.

Watch each segment here:

- 1. Glendale Emergency Notifications
- 2. Catalina Verdugo Trail Hike
- 3. <u>Driving Safely in School Zones</u>
- 4. Cyber Security PSA
- 5. Impaired Driving Event

# Statement of Interest for Affordable Housing Development



The Housing Authority of the City of Glendale is seeking opportunities to develop affordable housing for lower income households within Glendale. This includes the development of new affordable Renter and Ownership housing and the preservation and renovation of existing Renter housing.

To accomplish this, the Housing Authority seeks to inform and identify qualified professionals, development teams, and organizations who desire to participate in this endeavor.

Read more here.

# **Tech on Tap Podcast**

August 10 - Brand Library Plaza Performance Series: Yuko Mabuchi Trio, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Brand Library & Art Center Plaza 1601 West Mountain Street Bring a picnic and enjoy live outdoor music. Learn more here.

August 11 – 222 EAST Performances & Back Door Bookstore, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Central Park Paseo

Enjoy a used book sale and live music at the Paseo with surf band Neptune Cocktail. Learn more here.

August 11 - Perseid Meteor Shower Viewing Party, 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Deukmejian Wilderness Park 3429 Markridge Road

This evening is projected to be the best night for seeing the Perseid Meteor Shower. We will keep the park open late (until 10:00 p.m.). Bring a blanket or folding chair and binoculars to view the night sky. Learn more <a href="https://example.com/here/be/here/b

# August 14 – Julie Rivett—The Big Book of the Continental Op, 7:00 p.m.

Downtown Central Library Auditorium

222 East Harvard Street

For the first time ever in one volume, all twenty-eight stories and two serialized novels starring the Continental Op—written by Dashiell Hammett, one of the greatest writers in the storied history of detective fiction. Edited by Richard Layman and our speaker Julie Rivett, Hammett's granddaughter. Learn more here.

August 14 – Booked Solid Book Group, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Casa Verdugo Library
1151 North Brand Boulevard
The Book Group will read and
discuss Just Mercy: A Story of
Justice and Redemption by Bryan
Stevenson. Learn more here.

August 15 - Teen Night Out,

# GLENDALE TECH ON TAP

Some of the most impressive names on the Glendale tech scene have taken the stage at the Glendale Tech on Tap meetup since its inception two years ago. Every month, Glendale techies gather at Underdogs Bar on Brand Boulevard to hear local tech entrepreneurs share their stories of start-up success and sorrow.

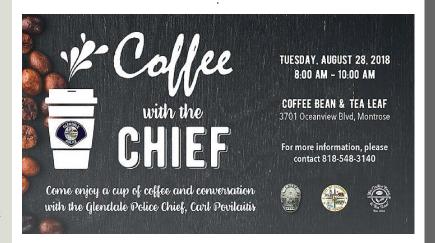
The newly launched Glendale Tech on Tap podcast will broadcast those stories beyond the walls of the bar. Tech on Tap speakers sit down with the City of Glendale to get into the details of the joys and challenges that comes with being a trailblazer in tech.

Find the first full season of this <u>podcast</u> about innovative people doing innovative work on <u>Google Play</u>, <u>Stitcher</u>, <u>Apple Podcasts</u>, and <u>GlendaleTechWeek.com</u>. Season 2 drops during Glendale Tech Week, September 15-21, 2018. If you have a referral, please forward to Jen Hiramoto in Economic Development or Kevork Kurdoghlian in Management Services. Check it out <u>here</u>.

The season 1 line-up includes:

- Jennifer McLain Hiramoto, Tech in Glendale
- Kendyl Young, On storytelling
- Ally Spinu, A serial entrepreneur's tips for success
- Jim Schaefer, Angel funding: When, where, and how
- Peter Ciulla, How to successfully introduce a new product to market
- Dave Denes, From unemployment to his own audio empire
- Katherin Hunter Blyden, How to manage a brand in the gig economy

# Coffee with the Chief



Enjoy a cup of coffee and conversation with the Glendale Police Chief, Carl Povilaitis on August 28th from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Chief Povilaitis will be at the Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf located at 3701 Oceanview Boulevard.

For more information, please contact (818) 548-3140.

# **4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.** *Maple Park Community Center 820 East Maple Street*

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August 15 - Summer Concerts in the Park: Bobby and the Gypsies/Catalan Rumba, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Verdugo Park (North End)

1621 Canada Boulevard

Bring a picnic dinner, folding chairs or blankets for seating. The Grilled Cheese Truck will be on site. Learn more here.

August 17 - Friday Night Lights, 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Verdugo Skate Park

1621 Canada Boulevard
Friday Night Lights is offered
every third Friday of the
month. Enjoy some of the newest
skateboard videos on a big
projection screen. There will be a
raffle and one prize given away
monthly. Free snack with the
purchase of a raffle ticket. Free
admission. Learn more by calling
(818) 548-2786.

August 17 - Teen Night Out, 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Pacific Community Center

501 South Pacific Avenue
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designed to provide free teen
activities that include billiards,
ping pong, karaoke, PS4, and
teen coordinated activities.
Snacks and refreshments will be
served. Learn more here.

August 17 - Brand Library Plaza Performance Series: Other Mother Brother Band, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Brand Library & Art Center Plaza 1601 West Mountain Street Bring a picnic and enjoy live outdoor music. Learn more here.

August 18 - Riverwalk Workday, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Glendale Narrows Riverwalk
Join the August Workday to weed
and maintain the landscaped
areas along the L.A. River in
Glendale. Participants are asked
to wear sturdy shoes, protective
clothing, long pants, hat, and sun
protection. We will provide the
tools, gloves, drinks and snacks,

# Glendale Fire Foundation: 3rd Annual Glendale Poker Classic



The Glendale Fire Foundation is hosting its 3rd Annual Glendale Poker Classic on Saturday, August 25th at 5:00 p.m. at the Glen Arden Club. Buy-in is \$125 and sponsorship is still available.

Click here for more information.

# **Glendale Tech Week 2018!**



# Pitchfest Prize Package Announced

Applications to participate in this year's "Pitchfest" will be accepted through August 13. The \$60,000 prize package includes legal, marketing, and accounting services, brand development, video production, mentorship and quidance from a leading VC funder and more.

Pitch your startup here.

but if possible bring, gloves, water bottle and hand clippers. Learn more here.

#### August 18 – Tour the Historic Brand Library & Art Center, 9:30 a.m.

Brand Library & Art Center 1601 West Mountain Street

Brand Associates member and renowned international tour guide, Joemy Wilson, author of "Coming Up on Your Left:, A Tour Guide's Guidebook," will share the fascinating story of the Brand Family and the "Miradero" the historic family home that is now Brand Library. Wear comfortable shoes! Learn more here.

#### August 18 – The River Lethe: Poetry Reading & Q/A, 4:00 n.m.}

Brand Library & Art Center
1601 West Mountain Street
Poets Allison Benis White and
Vandana Khanna read poetry in
support of the River Lethe
exhibition. Learn more <a href="here">here</a>.

#### August 21 - City Council in Your Neighborhood, 6:00 p.m. Chevy Chase Country Club 3067 East Chevy Chase Drive

The Glendale City Council will be coming to your neighborhood on August 21st to discuss topics that are important to you. This special meeting of the City Council will focus on traffic safety, crime prevention, living in areas with wildlife, brush clearance/fire hazard mitigation, and more. Learn more here.

#### August 21 – Lanterman Regional Center Armenian Parent Support Group, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Library Connection @ Adams Square

1100 East Chevy Chase Drive
This month's topic is Transition to
Adulthood by Rebecca Diddams,
Attorney. Presentation is open to
parents and families of children
with special needs. Learn more
here.

# August 22 - Teen Night Out, 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Maple Park Community Center 820 East Maple Street

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## **Tech Awards**

New to Glendale Tech Week this year is the Tech Awards! There are 8 categories for you to nominate the best and brightest in the local tech industry including:

- Glendale Young Entrepreneur
- Health, Med & Bio Tech
- Best Pivot

Hurry, the deadline for nominations is August 28! The nomination form is quick and easy.

## Event Schedule - Sneak Peak

Here's an at-a-glance look at what's in store this year:

- Immersive Tech Experience at the Alex Theatre Forecourt Saturday, 9/15
- Meet the Funders at the Glen Arden Club Monday, 9/17
- Evening Mixer and Panel hosted by the Glendale Young Professionals -Tuesday, 9/18
- <u>Career Fair hosted by the Verdugo Jobs Center</u> at the Glendale Central Library - Wednesday, 9/19
- Women in Tech Meet-Up at the Antaeus Theatre Wednesday, 9/19
- Lunchtime Keynote & PITCHFEST at CBRE Thursday, 9/20
- Closing Party & Awards at the Historic Masonic Temple Thursday, 9/20
- VEA Hackathon IV at the Glendale Central Library Friday, 9/21
- Plus, be on the lookout for announcements about the new family friendly "Kids & Tech" pop-ups.

For more information about Glendale Tech Week, how to get involved, sponsorship opportunities, and more, please visit <u>GlendaleTechWeek.com</u> or call at (818) 548-2005.

# **Recycling Reminders**



Getting ready to go back to school?

- Donate! Give outgrown or unwanted clothes new life by donating them to charities and non-profits. Clothes, shoes, and backpacks do not go in your curbside recycling container.
- Reuse! Think reusable for school lunches! Reusable containers, silverware, and water bottles will prevent excess waste and save you money.
- Recycle! After deciding which school projects or assignments you want to keep, reuse the backs as scrap paper and recycle the rest in your

served. Learn more here.

August 24 - Brand Library Plaza Performance Series: Marc Berger & Ride, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Brand Library & Art Center Plaza 1601 West Mountain Street Bring a picnic and enjoy live outdoor music. Learn more here.

August 25 - Wilderness Workday, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Deukmejian Wilderness Park 3429 Markridge Road

Tasks include removal of invasive plants, watering, weeding, and trail maintenance. There are tasks for all ages and abilities. This is a great event for families, individuals, groups, clubs, and students needing Community Service hours. Please wear sturdy shoes and bring a hat, sunscreen, and protective clothing. Learn more <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

August 28 - Coffee with the Chief, 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf

3701 Oceanview Boulevard

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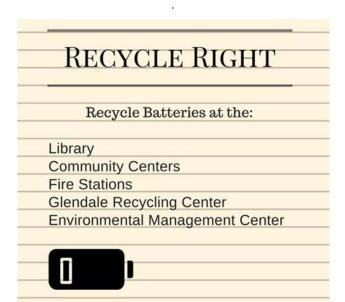
August 31 - Teen Night Out, 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Pacific Community Center 501 South Pacific Avenue

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August 31 - Brand Library Plaza Performance Series: Bobby Barron & the Swing Thing Band with Barbara Morrison, 7:00 City curbside container.

For more information on ways to reduce waste, visit GlendaleRecycles.com!

# **Recycle Batteries Right**



Remember to Recycle Batteries Right! Batteries need special handling to be recycled. They can be dropped off at Fire Stations, the recycling center, the Environmental Management Center, or libraries. To learn more, click here.

# 2018 Summer Aquatics Program



The Pacific Community Pool, located at 509 S. Pacific Ave. is open for the summer! Lifeguards are on duty to provide swimming lessons, recreation swim, swim team, water polo, and a fun time!

The Splash Pads at Cerritos and Pacific Parks are also available for the summer. Splash pads are free to use and are open daily from 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Monday – Sunday).

The wading pools are also open. Wading pools are filled, and a lifeguard is on site for free wading from 12:00 p.m. -6:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 1:30 p.m. -6:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday & Sunday.

Visit <u>www.glendaleaquatics.com</u> for program information, or call (818) 937-7433 to speak with pool staff.

p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Brand Library & Art Center Plaza
1601 West Mountain Street

Bring a picnic and enjoy live
outdoor music. Learn more here.

## **Looking Ahead**

## September 13 - CDBG Open House

Glendale non-profits are encouraged to attend this Open House to learn the fundamentals of receiving federal funds for their agency. Learn more here.

## September 20 - Community Needs Assessment

Glendale citizens are encouraged to participate in a community needs assessment to provide feedback on services, neighborhood improvements, and programs that would benefit the neighborhood. Learn more <a href="here">here</a>.

#### October 13 - GPD Open House

The Glendale Police Department will host an Open House on Saturday, October 13 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## **Holiday Closures**

#### September 3 - Labor Day

All City offices and Library branches will be closed.

All Library, Arts & Culture
locations will be closed Saturday,
Sunday & Monday, September 1

– 3, for the Labor Day Holiday
weekend

Check the <u>City's calendar</u> for changes in date, time, or location here.

#### **Other Newsletters**

- Community Services and Parks
- Community Development
- Economic Development
- Glendale Water & Power
- Library, Arts & Culture
- Public Works

## **RFP for Tech Accelerator**



The City of Glendale is seeking proposals from qualified firms to operate and manage a pilot Tech Accelerator Program that will help support and grow the local technology industry.

Learn more about the proposal by clicking here.

# Free Summer Meals for Children and Teens



The Seamless Summer Lunch Program is back! The Glendale Unified School District will offer free meals Monday through Friday from June 11 through August 10, to any child or teen under 18 years of age. Children and teens can enjoy a free lunch at five Glendale schools, Pacific Park, as well as Central, Grandview, Casa Verdugo & Adams Square Libraries.

**CLICK HERE** for more information.

Previous City Connection Newsletters

**Stay Connected!** 









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