Updates and information on programs and projects at the City of San Carlos.

Administrative Services

Here are some quick updates from the Human Resources Division of the Administrative Services Department on recruitments to fill vacant positions at the City.

Open Recruitments
- Facility Attendant (Part-time) – Recruitment closes on April 4th
- Summer Intern – Recruitment closes on April 10th

Recruitments in Progress
- Maintenance Worker – Background check is in process
- Summer Recreation Leaders – Interviews to be held during the week of April 9th

New Hires
- Public Works Director – New hire will start on April 16th
- Economic Development Coordinator – New hire will start on April 16th
Parks & Recreation

New Shade at Bocce Courts
Through a generous donation from the Parks & Recreation Foundation of San Carlos, new cantilever shade canopies for the Burton Park Bocce Courts were purchased and installed this month. Although the court along Chestnut Street is shaded by a large oak tree, the far court did not have any shade. These canopies will now provide additional shade and relief from the heat during the summer months for those that enjoy playing on our bocce courts.

Burton Park Restrooms
The restrooms at Burton Park are under construction. The renovation of the south end restrooms, located on the exterior of the Youth Center, is scheduled to be completed by the first week of April. The replacement of the north end restrooms, located near the playground, has just begun. The construction area was fenced off this week, which includes access into the tot playground. During construction, park visitors will use a temporary entrance into the tot area, now located on Chestnut Street. The new restroom will be open in time for Hometown Days in mid-May.

Police

Stolen and Recovered Vehicle
Between approximately March 13th at 4:30 p.m. and March 15th at 8:00 a.m., unknown suspect(s) removed a vehicle from the 500 block of Taylor Road. The victim was not aware of the theft until the vehicle was located on March 15th blocking a Redwood City resident’s driveway. A report was taken, forwarded to the Detective Bureau, and the vehicle was returned to the registered owner.

Forge/Alter/Counterfeit-Make Fictitious Check
On March 19th at approximately 12:30 p.m., deputies responded to the report from a business owner on the 100 block of Old County Road of a past check fraud. The business owner advised that a business check of approximately $6,500.00, had been stolen over the weekend from his mailbox. The owner of a business in San Jose contacted the victim and advised him that a known individual had attempted to fraudulently cash the check. That suspect was found to have an out of county probation violation warrant. Deputies contacted the probation officer and advised of the incident. A report was taken, forwarded to the Detective Bureau, and a copy of the report forwarded to Santa Clara County.

Shoplifting
On March 20th at approximately 1:30 p.m., deputies responded to Home Depot located at 1125 Old County Road on a report of a shoplifter under citizen’s arrest. Upon arrival, deputies contacted the reporting party, Home Depot Loss Prevention, and were advised that a shoplifter was in custody who had attempted to steal approximately $500.00 in tools and materials. A signed citizen’s arrest form and loss prevention report were collected at the scene. Both the tools and materials were booked into the Sheriff’s Office Property Room as evidence. A citation was issued, and the subject was released from the scene with a promise to appear.
Grand Theft from an Auto
Between approximately 6:00 p.m. on March 23rd and 9:00 a.m. on March 24th, unidentified suspect(s) removed from a vehicle parked on the unit block of Richland Court, the victim’s backpack, containing a laptop, valued at approximately $2,300.00. The victim electronically tracked the laptop to a residence in Redwood City. The deputy responded to the Redwood City address with Redwood City PD, where they met with the homeowner who allowed a consent search of the residence. Nothing was found in the main house, however in a small apartment in the rear of the main residence resides an active probationer. A probation search of the apartment led to the discovery of the victim’s backpack. The laptop however, was not found. The backpack was seized and returned to the victim and the case will be forwarded to the District Attorney’s Office for review.