COVID-19 City of San Carlos Updates
March 18, 2020

The City of San Carlos continues to work diligently to respond to the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak and encourages all residents to continue to practice social distancing and abide by the shelter in place order issued by the San Mateo County Health Officer. We continue to staff the Emergency Operations Center and are committed to providing updated information and resources to our community.

During the course of this COVID-19 response, we have welcomed County, State, and Federal health and law enforcement workers to the City of Good Living, and consider them honorary members of our community. We are thankful for the professional and dedicated service they have shown us, and the care they are taking to ensure that our community remains safe and healthy. These health professionals and law enforcement officers have been impressed with the diligence and organization of our City response, and have indicated that it will be used as a model for the rest of the country. We’re proud of our City staff, elected officials, local health and law enforcement professionals, and the greater San Carlos community for making this response possible.

Please see the list below of City activities from March 18 related to our COVID-19 response.

The current situation is dynamic and we ask all community members to revisit our webpage for the latest updates at cityofsancarlos.org/coronavirus.

**Spotlight Newsletter on COVID-19**

Check your mail for the most recent Spotlight Newsletter, focused on topics related to our local COVID-19 response and community resources.

**Postcard on Volunteer Opportunities:**

We are blown away by our community’s response to the coronavirus outbreak, with so many offering to help. Look for a postcard in the mail with information on Neighbor to Neighbor volunteer opportunities in San Carlos.

**Business and Worker Resources on City Website**

We understand COVID-19 is causing financial strain for businesses in town, as well as for our workforce in the City of Good Living. We will continue to work closely with our partner agencies to gather information and resources as they become available to help navigate disruptions to work. Check our website at cityofsancarlos.org/coronavirusresources for the latest information.
List of Open Businesses on City Website

Visit our website to see a list of local San Carlos businesses that remain open during the outbreak, including those that are open to seniors for specific hours. Please keep in mind that food service providers are limited to take-out only and this list is subject to change: cityofsancarlos.org/coronavirus

To add your business to this list, please send an email to: scadona@cityofsancarlos.org.

Virtual Recreation Center

San Carlos Parks and Recreation is creating a “Virtual Recreation Center” set to go live next week. This will be your virtual stop for fun, education, and resources through these tough times. We are committed to ensuring that our community members have everything they need to maintain healthy lives, grow meaningful relationships, and continue to have fun from home.

San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office Recommends Looking Out for Spam

The San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office is urging citizens to be wary of new phone and internet scams popping up within the past week. The Sheriff’s Office has been made aware of emails and websites promising vital information about the coronavirus pandemic that’s sweeping the globe. Some scams push malware and disinformation while others attempt to steal passwords and personal information.