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CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS CLOSURES AND CANCELLATIONS IN RESPONSE TO CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

Last week, Governor Newsom and California Department of Public Health officials released an updated policy to cancel or postpone public gatherings of 250 people or more at least until the end of March. Based on this new directive designed to limit the spread of the coronavirus and out of an abundance of caution in the interest of public safety, **under the direction of the City Manager, the City has decided to cancel the following City events and programs, as well as temporarily close the following City facilities until Sunday, April 19th. Please see all updates to closures and cancellations effective immediately on Monday, March 16th in blue.**

City Events

- Spring Camp at Little Lake Park – March 23 – 27
- Meet the Mayor – March 25th and March 26th
- Children's Boutique and Prom Project – March 26th
- Art Walk – March 28th
- Fun Run/Walk – April 4th
- Easter Eggstravaganza – April 11th
- Volunteer Recognition – April 17th
- Volunteer Day of Service – April 18th

City Programs

- First Friday at the Library – April 3rd
- Youth and Adult Sports Leagues
- Recreation and Special Interest Classes
- Community Excursions
- Metropolitan Little League
- Walking Club
- All programs in the City Library

City Facilities

- Senior Center at the Gus Velasco Neighborhood Center – Congregate Meals will be offered to seniors through the SASSFA (Monday and Wednesday frozen meals can be picked up at the GVNC).
- Activity Center
- The Club (Teen Center at Town Center Hall)

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- All City Facility Rental Permits – Any events that have attendance of 50 people or more

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- City Library – All due dates have been extended to April 24th. No fines will be assessed between March 16 and April 24th.
- Town Center Hall
- William C. Gordon Learning Center
- Gus Velasco Neighborhood Center – This includes administrative and casework services.
- All City park bathrooms

City Council and Council Appointed Committee Meetings

- Public Presentations will be cancelled and postponed to a later date
- Social spacing implemented in Council Chambers
- All committee meetings will be cancelled

For additional information about COVID-19, residents are encouraged to visit the Centers for Disease Control website at cdc.gov or the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health website at publichealth.lacounty.gov.

The City of Santa Fe Springs is committed to the safety and health of its residents during this time and keeping the community informed is a top priority. For the latest news from the City, please visit the City's website at www.santafesprings.org or follow social media pages at www.facebook.com/cityofsf, www.instagram.com/cityofsf, <https://twitter.com/cityofsf>, nextdoor.com/cityofsantafesprings, www.youtube.com/channel/CityofSantaFeSprings.

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