



ABOUT TOWN - JUNE 14, 2018 UPDATE FROM MORAGA TOWN STAFF



FIRST SUMMER CONCERT - THURSDAY, JUNE 21



The Summer Concert Series begins Thursday, June 21 featuring the classic rock band [3 Day Weekend](#). Bring the family and join neighbors and friends on Thursday evenings at the Commons Park for free concerts from 6:30 to 8:30 pm, with the concession stand opening at 6:00 pm for dinner. Bring picnic blankets or lawn chairs and enjoy the music. This event is sponsored by the Moraga Park Foundation. The summer concert series runs through August 16 and features a different [band](#) each week.



4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION AT COMMONS PARK



Join hundreds of Moraga residents at Commons Park for the annual [4th of July Celebration](#) including pancake breakfast, family fun runs, dog parade, community booths, jump houses for the kids, a family magic show, and a live concert at the bandshell with David Martin's House Party! BUY-A-ROCKET and help the community raise \$30,000 for the fireworks show! [Donate online](#) or send your check, made payable to the *Town of Moraga* to: Town of Moraga, Attn: Buy a Rocket, 2100 Donald Drive, Moraga, CA 94556.



SIGN UP NOW FOR MORAGA DAY CAMP



The Moraga Parks and Recreation Department invites you to "Travel the World" in eight weeks with Moraga Day Camp (formerly Camp Hacienda). This summer favorite continues with weekly themed activities for ages five to ten. Moraga Parks and Recreation is offering a variety of summer camps for all ages and interests: Coding, Bricks for Kidz, Techsplosion, Kindercool, Skyhawks Sports, and more are available! [Sign up today](#). For more information, call the Parks and Recreation Department at 925-888-7036 or visit moragarec.com.



RECENT TOWN COUNCIL ACTIONS on JUNE 13

STREET LIGHTING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

Town Council adopted a resolution continuing the current assessment for FY2018/19 which includes \$58.00 for a typical single family residence within the Street Lighting Assessment District to fund operations and repairs of the Town's streetlights and traffic signals.

NON-MOSO AND MOSO ACCESSORY BUILDINGS ORDINANCE

Town Council considered an Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission amending the Non-MOSO (Moraga Open Space Ordinance) and MOSO open space zoning districts to require that detached accessory buildings be built to similar development and design standards as required for Accessory Dwelling Units. After deliberation, the council directed staff to bring back the Ordinance for further consideration later in the year.

FY 2018/19 OPERATING AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM BUDGETS

Town Council reviewed the [preliminary FY 2018/19 operating budget and capital improvement program](#). The proposed \$9.25 million operating budget is balanced with an anticipated surplus of \$18,022. \$245,000 in funding was put forth to augment the Town's Storm Drain Maintenance program. The proposed capital improvement program is \$6.37 million and includes funding for the pavement management program and Canyon Bridge replacement. This budget is focused on holding the line on expenses, improving efficiencies and funding vital infrastructure improvements. The budget adjustments requested by the Town Council at this meeting will be incorporated into the final budget document and presented for consideration and adoption at the June 27, 2018 regular meeting.

CONSOLIDATION OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Town Council adopted a resolution calling for the election; requesting the County authorize consolidation with other elections; and authorizing the Town to reimburse the County for all election services. They also adopted a resolution setting policy for the candidates' statements. There are two Council seats open for the 2018 election with the open nomination period running from Monday, July 16 through Friday, August 10.

PROCLAMATIONS COMMENDING MORAGA POLICE RESERVE OFFICERS

Town Council adopted proclamations honoring three Moraga Police Reserve Officers. Greg Haskell and Jack Lucas were each recognized for over 32 years of dedicated service to the Town as they both retire. Ben Ho, who has served since 1982, was recognized for his work in establishing emergency electrical power service for the Town Hall. The Town Council originally authorized \$165,000 for the project. Through Ben's work, the Town saved over \$140,000 on the project and was able to obtain a surplus backup generator for use in emergencies or natural disasters.

PROCLAMATION FOR ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS MONTH

Town Council presented a proclamation to senior services representatives declaring June as *Elder and Dependent Adult Abuse Awareness Month*, recognizing the importance of preventing abuse of older adults through improved social supports such as senior centers, human services and transportation.

PROCLAMATION FOR ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH

Town Council presented a proclamation to the Alzheimer's Association declaring June as *National Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month* and June 21 as *The Longest Day*. The Association is actively working to accelerate the pace of research into the diagnosis and treatment of Alzheimer's disease.



UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS

Monday, June 18, 7:00 pm – [Planning Commission](#), Council Chambers

Tuesday, June 19, 7:00 pm – [Park and Recreation Commission](#), Council Chambers

Monday, June 25 – [Design Review Board](#), **CANCELLED**

Wednesday, June 27, 7:00 pm – [Town Council](#), Council Chambers

The Town Council Chambers are located at [335 Rheem Boulevard, Moraga, CA 94556](#).

The Hacienda de las Flores is located at [2100 Donald Drive, Moraga, CA 94556](#).

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